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"SUICIDE" MAY HAVE BEEN MURDERED TOO

NewPhase To Ohio Crime

(By Associated Press.)

Chillicothe, O., Aug. 12—Developments here today, and at the coroner's inquest at Anderson, Ind., indicate that James Graves did not shoot himself, as has been supposed, and the same clues which led to this belief, indicate that there is doubt as to whether he shot his wife, Rosa Graves.

According to word received here, the post mortem, has shown that Graves, received two wounds. One of these was through the heart, the other went crashing through his brain. It is claimed that either shot would have caused instant death, and that it would have been impossible for him to have fired both.

It is also claimed that the shot through his brain ranged downward, and this would have been practically impossible had he been holding the revolver which caused the wound.

Again it is pointed out that no powder marks were found on his forehead, which, it is claimed, would have been the case had the revolver been held by his hand.

In connection with these developments, it is claimed that a search is being made for $400 in cash which Mrs. Graves is said to have had in her passession shortly before she was killed.

To add to the mystery surrounding the tragedy it is claimed there is a search being made for a man, who had met Mrs. Graves while she was in the East, and who, it is hinted, may be able to throw some light on the affair.

Relatives of the dead couple here refuse to discuss the developments.

STATE HEALTH BOARD FORMALLY CONDEMNS WATER WORKS PLANS

Columbus, O., Aug. 12—(Spl.)—The state board of health at a meeting held at Toledo Thursday night received and approved the report of a special committee, condemning the proposed new water supply for the city of Portsmouth. The action was unanimous.

The special committee had made a trip to Portsmouth to investigate conditions and in its report claimed that the proposed new supply could not be kept sanitary.

Portsmouth will have to change her plans, if she builds a new water works as it seems the state board is determined in its stand against the sand filtration system proposed by the Commission in charge of the building of the proposed new plant.

BLAKE

TRUST WILL GIVE UP FIGHT

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—Rather than take chances in the court the electrical trust has compromised with the department of justice, and according to information today will shortly dissolve in accordance with plans submitted to the attorney general.

The government suit will be dropped, it is understood, if the department is satisfied that the trust has "busted" itself.

A STRIKE ON AT PURITAN PLANT

(By United Press)

Wellston, O., Aug. 12—As the result of a disagreement over the wage scale for mining clay in the mines of the Puritan Coal & Cement Co., all of its employees are on a strike today. The miners are demanding a straight scale of 30 cents a ton and agree to furnish all of their own ammunition. As a compromise they have agreed to accept the offer of the company of 24 cents a ton if the company will furnish the ammunition. This has been refused. It is believed that strike breakers will be imported.

Considerable local capital is invested in the above plant and there is much interest here in developments.

Gates Funeral Held In Paris

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, Aug. 12—The funeral of John W. Gates was held here today from the Interdenominational Church, the Rev. James Lee, officiating. The body will be taken to New York.

NO WORK ON SUNDAY

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, O., Aug. 12—Although the building must be finished by 1912, the trustees of the local Y. M. C. A. will not allow work on the new building to be pursued on Sundays. In the effort to hasten the work, the contractors had inaugurated a seven days a week schedule, but the action of the trustees has stopped this.

KILLS HER WITH KNIFE

(By Associated Press.)

Golden, Colo., Aug. 12— A confession is said to have been obtained from Mrs. Confetti Forgione, an Italian, in which she admits that she witnessed Angelina Garamona, the "Queen of the Italian Quarter," kill Mrs. La Guarda, whose dismembered body was discovered a week ago in a culvert. The confession was corroborated by the woman's daughter, Stella, 19, who claims also to have witnessed the murder.

According to Mrs. Forgione, the four women went on a walk, and Mrs. Garamona killed hervictim with a butcher knife.

TRAINMEN INJURED

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12—A report has been received by officials of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad that the west bound local passenger train had run into a washout near Wyanet, Ill., and was derailed. The engineer and firemen were injured.

MODEL LICENSE LEAGUE ENDORSED BY HOGAN

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Aug. 12—As a private citizen Attorney General Hogan has given the publicity agents of the Model License Liquor League a statement endorsing their position.

"A constitutional license provision, supplanted with measures for strict regulation of the operation of the licensed saloon is, to my mind, the only solution of the saloon question in Ohio," says Hogan.

He also urged that the Wet and Dry issue be not placed ahead of more important measures at the constitutional convention and that the license question be submitted to the people separately from the rest of the constitution.

Killed By Woman

(By United Press.)

Massilon, O., Aug. 12—Victor Hugg, 71, was run down and killed today by an auto driven by Miss Carrie Glass, of Beach City. He was at work, and it is claimed, stepped in front of the machine. It is claimed Miss Glass sounded her horn and was driving slowly.

BOY WAS IN CONVENT

(By United Press.)

Quebec, Can., Aug. 12—It was [illegible] at the Good Shepherd [illegible] here today that John [illegible] Stadk, 8 year old son of [illegible] King Stadk kidnaped from [illegible] over a year ago in St. [illegible], has been an inmate [illegible]. He was placed in the institution by his father, who wanted [illegible] educated in the Catholic [illegible]. Fearing the former wife [illegible] the boy Stadk and his [illegible] taken the boy away. [illegible] officials now say they do [illegible] his whereabouts.

Pope Better Today

(By Associated Press.)

Rome, Aug. 12—Pope Pius, according to physicians, is much better after a relapse yesterday. The pains in his knee have almost disappeared.

5 Men Are Drowned

(By Associated Press.)

Hope, British Columbia, Aug 12—A gang of five men were drowned when they were thrown into the Frazee river, across which they were stringing a cable.

At Fishing Camp.

Charles Barry has returned to his fishing camp eight miles up the river.

Another Miffed

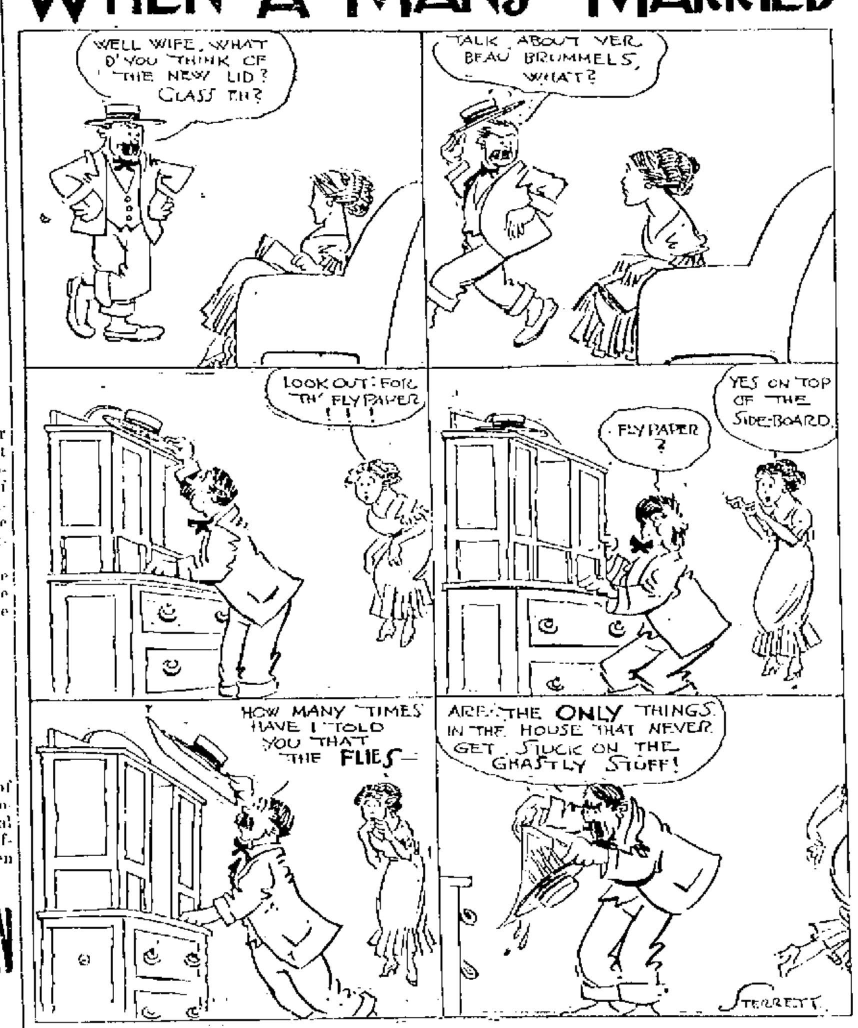
(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—Following Senator Bailey's resignation from the monetary commission, a telegram was received from Former Senator Flint today, also resigning. He gave no reason.

Vacation Days.

Fred Haubert has resumed his duties at the Sperry barber shop after a two weeks' vacation. Walter Baker, of the same shop, will spend next week with home folks at St. Paris, Ohio.

WHEN A MAN'S MARRIED



WEDDING OF GOLD AND BEAUTY IS AROUSING NATIONAL INDIGNATION

(By United Press.)

Philadelphia, Aug. 12—"Sins of Society—the Astor-Force alliance, a threat at the foundation of American morals" will be the subject of tomorrow's sermon by Rev. C. C. Richmond, of the Episcopal church, who is leading in the movement to prevent Col. John Jacob Astor from being married to Miss Madeline Force by a Christian minister.

"We must free ourselves of the American smart set," Dr. Richmond will say. "Rotten in spirit, unclean in eye, unwholesome in touch, they are like a dread disease. The women of the Smart Set lead the men to sin. The social life of Newport is one of sin. The people who frequent Newport steal girls for ruin and they look like the devil as the, strut around with their faces stamped by the lower passions, and a gait that makes us think of asses."

JOKE ENDS IN DEATH

(By United Press.)

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 12—Frank J. Cook and Daniel Ureeland, railroad detectives, are dead today and William Bennett, also a railroad detective, is under arrest as a result of what the police believe to have been a practical joke.

Cook and Ureeland ran out from behind a freight car last night and with "Now we've got you" began tusseling with Bennett. Bennett drew his revolver and shot both men dead. The three men are said to have been the closest of friends.

WHITE SLAVERS WORK IN OHIO

(By Associated Press.)

Marietta, O., Aug. 12—A body of white slavers, larger than any outside of Chicago and New York, has been uncovered in the arrest of Melvin Tolen by a United States marshal, who has been here several weeks, working on the case. According to the United States officer, Tolen's operations extended to Sistersville, W. Va., where he placed Elizabeth Allen, 18, in a resort.

The same officer alleges that many others in Marietta and other towns have organized to carry on the traffic of dealing in girls, and their operations are wide-spread.

TOGO TO MEET AMERICAN WOMEN

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 12—Admiral Togo and party left here today for West Point where he will inspect the army training school. A luncheon and formal reception, and an afternoon tea are also scheduled for the day. During the day Admiral Togo will receive his first introduction to American women.

GAS COMPANY IS RAISED

Columbus, O., Aug. 12—(Spl.)—The Tax Commission has raised the appraisement of the Portsmouth Gas Co., from $64,000 to $200,000.

BLAKE

AIR MEET IS OPENED AT CHICAGO

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 12—Despite the hard rain that fell all of last night, the weather bureau, predicted this morning that the skies would clear sufficiently to permit the opening of Chicago's great aviation meet today, the largest ever held in America. Thirty-five licensed aviators with more than 40 aeroplanes are already on the field and 18 types of machines are entered. The Morane monoplane in which the Doriences made the fastest time ever recorded in a monoplane, will be seen for the first time in America. Charles T. Weymann, who won the Gordon-Bennett cup in England last month, will arrive next week to drive his 100 horse power racer. The Wright Bros. have eight machines entered and Glenn Curtiss will also be represented with several machines

CONDUCTOR IS KILLED

(By Associated Press.)

Akron, O., Aug. 12—While trying to tell his name to hospital physicians, W. B. Warren, a railroad conductor, died here today. He had been run over by a Baltimore & Ohio train.

WILL AMEND THE PEACE PACTS

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—The senate committee on foreign relations has agreed to ratify the arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France, after it has been amended by omitting the paragraph conferring on a joint commission, the right to determine what questions shall be arbitrated. It is claimed this clause would nullify the Monroe doctrine.

COAST SWEPT BY STORM

(By United Press.)

New Orleans, La., Aug. 12—Pensacola, Fla., is today shut off from the outside world as the result of a storm that swept that city and coast yesterday. Warnings have been sent out by the weather bureau to small boat owners, to keep away from the sea.

To Probe Election

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—An investigation of the election of Senator Stephenson from Wisconsin, is authorized in a resolution introduced in the senate today.

The resolution was adopted without discussion. It gives the committee sweeping power to compel attendance of witnesses.

The decision of the senate to investigate Stephenson's election started from a request made recently by the Wisconsin legislature demanding such a probe.

In a statement filed with the state authorities at the time of his election Stephenson admitted that he spent $107,000 in the primaries.

The Wisconsin senator is the oldest man in the senate and one of the richest.

CONVICT AT LARGE

(By Associated Press.)

Anamosa, Ia., Aug. 12—No trace has as yet been found of Convict Smitsch, who escaped yesterday, after two men had shot his guard and lashed him to a tree.

Congressman Is Dead

(By Associated Press.)

Paulsboro, N. J., Aug. 12—Congressman Henry C. Loudenslagen of New Jersey, died here today.

BILLY BUTT-IN

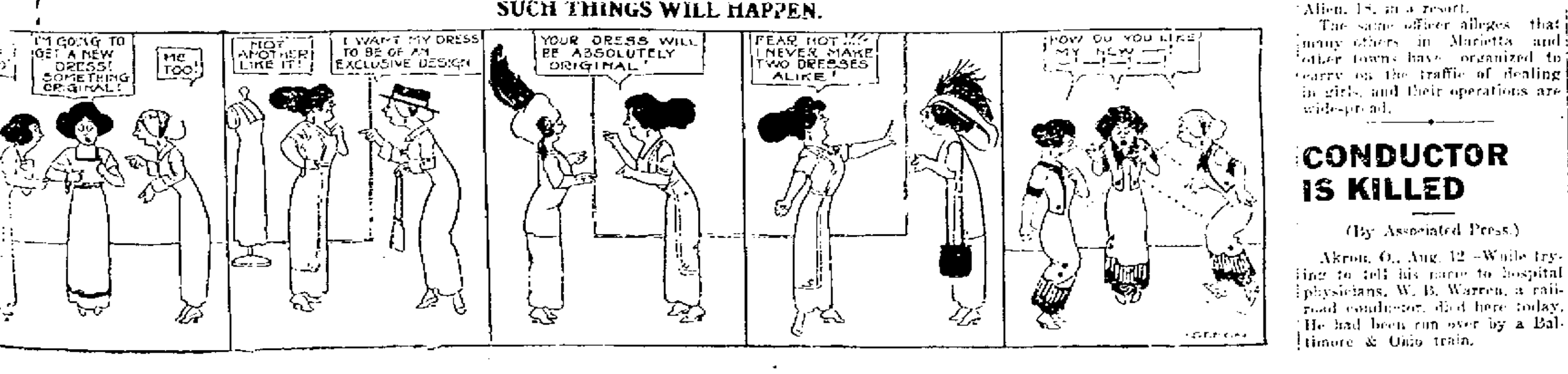
TIMES WEATHER MAN

Queer ain't it. T. R. and our ball team came back to th' front at the same moment. I ain't losin' no time over Teddy but I do feel like shoutin', for th' winnin' o' them two games. Ain't heard a hammer "click" today 'ceptin' a faint echo from Cincinnati. (Th' Reds lost yesterday.) Here's th' weather:

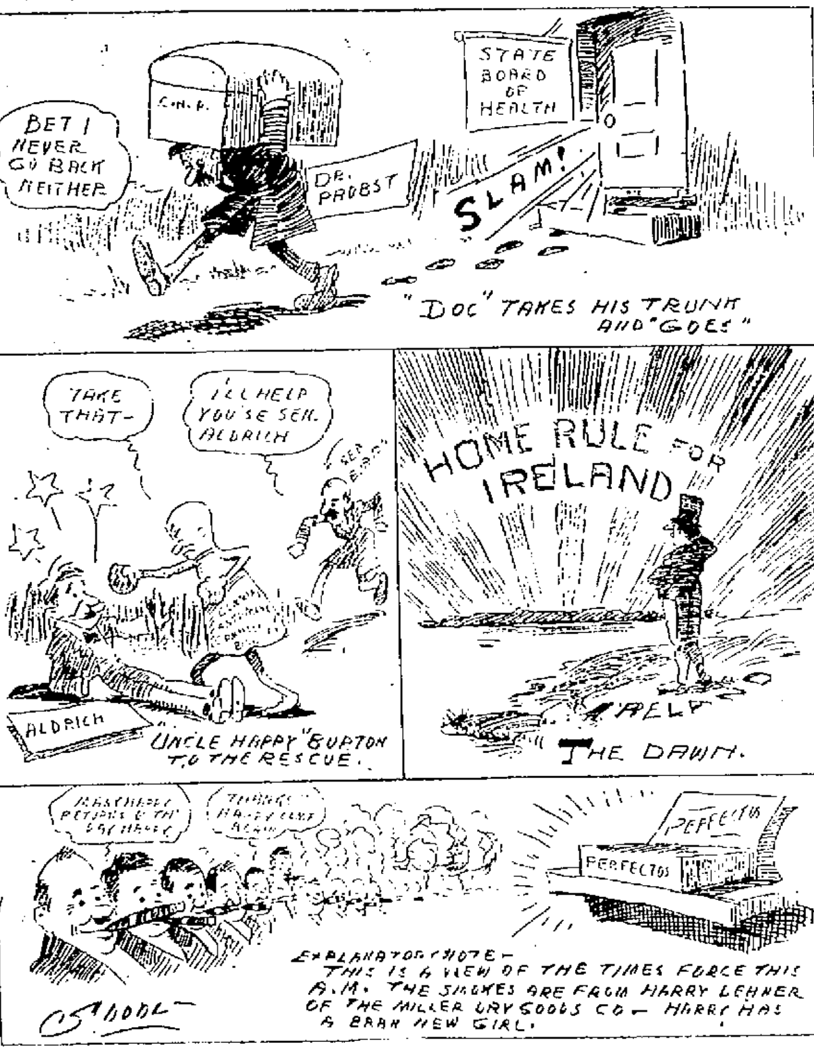
or tonight. Sunday, generally fair and warmer.

Kentucky:— Unsettled, light showers tonight or Sunday in the southern portion.

SUCH THINGS WILL HAPPEN.



Some Cartoonettes BY SHONK



REJOICE OVER RETURN OF THE OLD TEACHERS

The Catholics of Portsmouth were pleased to learn Saturday that the parochial schools of the city are to have practically the same teachers that were in charge last year.

Most of the Sisters of St. Francis returned Friday night from their summer's vacation and retreat at the Mother Home in Rochester, Minn., where they have been since the latter part of June.

Cause for rejoicing is furnished by the return here of Sister M John, who for the past twenty years has directed the educational affairs of Holy Redeemer parish, and also the reappointment of Sister M. Genevieve, for the past few years principal of St. Mary's school. Only four of the Holy Redeemer sisters have arrived, but two more yet to be named are expected here in a couple of weeks.

Those here are Sister John, Sister Magdalene, third and fourth grades; Sister Ladislaus, seventh and eighth grades, and Sister Dominic, housekeeper. Those at St. Mary's are Sister Genevieve, seventh and eighth grades; Sister Rita, commercial department; Sister Hereminold, third and fourth grades; Sister Ursula first and second grades; Sister Adella, housekeeper. Sister M. Carola, of the fifth and sixth grades, is visiting in Cincinnati, and is expected to arrive here in a day or two. The parochial schools will open the first week in September.

Her Busy Day.

Last Monday afternoon, Mrs. Gray, while up town, was much surprised to meet the colored woman who does her washing. "Why, Mrs. Johnson!" said Mrs. Gray, "I thought this was your busy day." "Did use ter be," came the reply, "but Ah uses Hewitt's Easy Task Soap now an' gits all done 'fore dinner. It sure does the business in short order."

It does "do the business," and it only costs a nickel.

WASN'T THIS MEAN?

George H. Schneider has suddenly ceased boasting about the rapidity with which his tomatoes have been ripening. George has just learned that Lew Gilgen and George Balmert slipped into his rear yard on New Eighth street the other night and daubed red paint all over his green tomatoes, and when George visited the garden the next morning he was beside himself with joy and began summoning in his neighbors to view the pretty sight. Several days passed before he learned of what had really happened and George is now willing to discuss most any other subject than that of tomato raising.

SOCIALIST COLUMN

(ROBERT DODOE.)

It doesn't just happen that Socialism bobs up in every civilized country in the world today. It is social evolution that is making it inevitable. It is the only salvation for the worker, and if you are fighting it, the more you are being fooled. From everywhere come words of enthusiasm for the Socialist advance. We are a great army with a great mission. Our comradship is of the shoulder to shoulder sort, the like of which the world has never seen.

In this movement working side by side are the professed Atheist and the professed Christian. The call of humanity is becoming so loud that many ears are listening today that never heard the sound before, and many minds and hearts are responding to the call that heretofore never dreamed of the great needs of humanity.

Socialism presents the only program of definite and organized relief, and Socialism is going to win the Christian people of the world. Why? Because it proposes to put into everyday practice the teachings of Christ.

Theories are interesting to a thinker, but facts are often more important. Without a roof for shelter and minus the price of a bed, a man's thoughts are not apt to be upon where he is going to spend eternity, but upon where he is going to spend the night. The fact that he is here overshadows all theories as to eternity.

Someone has said that to look into hungry babies' eyes reminds one more of milk than of a state of future punishment or of paradise, and the words, "As ye did it not unto the least of these, ye did it not unto me," is appealing to the professed Christian at the present time and they are moving him to action and causing him to feel that to save himself from eternal punishment alone is not living up to the full measure of Christ's teachings.

Meeting Has Been Called

Clerk Frank Allen has called a special meeting of the Clay township board of trustees for next Wednesday. Arrangements will be made at this meeting for turning the East Portsmouth school over to the city. It is not thought the transfer will cause any change in the teachers and that A. T. Stewart will continue as superintendent.

Joseph Frantz, of the public service department, is detained at his Market street home with a severe billious attack.

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Edna Goes Sunday

Pretty Edna Walker will be taken to the Girls' Industrial Home at Delaware Sunday, to serve sentence on a delinquency charge. During her week's imprisonment the young East End girl has had numerous callers, including her parents, relatives, Deaconess Hammond and others. She has been showered with delicacies, flowers and the like.

WHAT SAVED HER LIFE

Mrs. Martin Tells About a Painful Experience that Might Have Ended Seriously.

Rivesville, W. Va.—Mrs. Dora Martin, in a letter from Rivesville, writes: "For three years, I suffered with womanly troubles, and had pains in my back and side. I was nervous and could not sleep at night.

The doctor could not help me. He said I would have to be operated on before I could get better. I thought I would try using Cardui.

Now, I am entirely well.

I am sure Cardui saved my life. I will never be without Cardui in my home. I recommend it to my friends."

For fifty years, Cardui has been relieving pain and distress caused by womanly trouble. It will surely help you.

It goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

If you suffer from any symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui.

Your druggist sells and recommends it. Get a bottle from him today.

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BOY IS SAVED BY HIS QUICK ACT

Rare presence of mind displayed at the critical moment saved Harold, young son of Charles Streuber, a commercial traveler, from serious injury near Third and Chillicothe streets. Friday evening.

Mr. Streuber was in a nearby barber shop and the boy and his sister, Bernardine, waited for him on the sidewalk in front. Harold suddenly stepped into the street, failing to notice the approach of Herman Multer's automobile, until it was fairly upon him. Instantly the boy threw himself to the ground, while the machine grazed him. His little sister screamed at the top of her voice, believing that Harold had been injured by the machine. Eye witnesses declared the boy's quick witted act is all that saved him from being run over. He was found to have escaped without as much as a scratch.

Plan Fine Trip Through Ohio

Attorney W. B. Grice and daughter, Ettaline, left Saturday in the Grice automobile on an auto trip through Ohio. They will be gone for an indefinite period and will visit all the principal cities.

Has Recovered.

William Kirby, the Robinson avenue resident, who has been ill for some time with typhoid fever, is able to be out again.

Boys Were Lectured

R. F. Boren, Earl Larkins and Charley Shaw were lectured by Mayor Searcy Saturday for hooting pedestrians near Fourteenth and Union streets, Friday night.

Suspends Sentence

William Piatt will not have to go to the Cincinnati workhouse, Mayor Searcy suspending his sentence Saturday morning.

Piatt's wife finally relented and pleaded with the Mayor to spare her husband, inasmuch as he had promised her faithfully to mend his ways and never again abuse her baby by a former marriage. Then, to the fact that Piatt could have escaped with Davy Clapper and Billy Hughes, but refused to join them went a long way toward making Mayor Searcy give him another trial.

News Of Hospital

Mrs. Rhoda Kelly, of No. 511 Gallia street, Saturday was discharged from Hempstead hospital, where she underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis. Her going leaves fifteen patients at the hospital. John Wiehle, the [illegible] tin's Mills farmer, who was shot by Thomas Patton, is now believed out of danger, the bullet having been removed near the surface of the back by Dr. Miller, of Wheelersburg, and Dr. Kellar, of Ironton. Mr. Wiehle's mother and sister reside in the city.

FINE NEW GIRL IN VOGEL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogle, of 1209 Gay street, have a fine new nine-pound daughter at their home, who have been named Evelyn Marguerite. Mr. and Mrs. Vogle reside at 82 West Fifth street.

First Showing of Advance Autumn Styles

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[illegible] fashionings, the very narrow skirts, the [illegible] and the other quaint ideas running [illegible] Women's and Misses' Suits for Fall clearly show [illegible] has dominated style for the forthcoming season.

[illegible] worthy of mention is the fact that the Sombre [illegible] past season have given way to fabrics which are [illegible] up by flecks of color in various new weaves. [illegible] will be lavishly used on suits.

All that is correct and elegant is displayed here in an array so fascinating, so interesting and so inviting that it is bound to call forth expressions of wonder and pleasure from every lover of style.

COME

You're cordially invited and too you'll enjoy [illegible] showing and learning at first hand the beauty of the new fashions.

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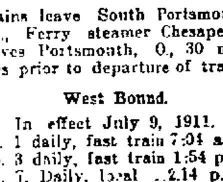

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No. 50 7.00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
No. 52 2:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.

Leaves Hamden.	Arrives Ports.
No. 51 7:40 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
No. 53 4:05 p. m.	6:35 p. m.

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No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7, Daily, local ..2.14 p. m.
No. 5 daily, fast train 5:29 a. m.
No. 17 week days, local 7:25 a. m.

East Bound.

No. 2 daily, fast train 2:44 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:43 p. m.
No. 6 daily, local .. 11:31 a. m.
No. 8 daily, fast train 12:06 a. m.
No. 16 week days, local 7:15 p. m.

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SEARCH IN VAIN FOR ESCAPED PRISONERS

Chief McCarty, Deputy Sheriff Smith and a number of police, all in plain clothes, returned on Friday evening from their all afternoon's hunt in Kentucky for Dave Clapper and Billy Hughes, escaped prisoners.

The officers failed to find their men though learning they had frequented a number of soft drink parlors early in the morning. A man named Colvin told them he had seen the pair on the Kentucky side.

Si Hughes, the aged father of one of the fugitives, who was arrested on suspicion of having aided their escape, was released from custody Friday evening. There was no evidence against him further than that he had visited headquarters Thursday evening and inquired if it were true his son was to be taken away the next morning

Hughes came to headquarters that night just as Probate Judge T. C. Beatty entered to talk with Edna Walker, who is held on a delinquency charge. She asked for some ice water and Officer Buckley went after some. When he returned downstairs he found Hughes standing some feet away from the cell room door. He left a moment later. Buckley is positive that Hughes is innocent of any connection with the jail delivery. Hughes asked him to call him about 5 o'clock so that he could bring Billy's children to him. They wanted to kiss him good-bye before he went to the workhouse.

When Buckley walked to the cell room at 4 a. m. it was to tell Billy he was going to call his father so that he could bring the children to him. About 40 minutes later Buckley again went to the cell room and was informed by Gus Nance that he was minus two prisoners.

Buckley was never so dumbfounded in his life when he found the two men had flown.

Back From Peebles.

C. C. Coverston has returned from Peebles, where he went on business.

IS AWARDED CONTRACT

Washington, August 12.—Ed Henry, of Catlettsburg, will construct the new postoffice building to be erected by the United States at Ironton, Ohio. His was the lowest of five bids and the Treasury department has awarded him the contract at $67,200.

Work may be begun on the contract as soon as Mr. Henry wants to begin. SUMMERS.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address:

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

TRAIN WAS DELAYED

Passenger train No. 33 on the N. & W., due here at 7:30 Saturday morning was an hour late, owing to the engine having an accident this side of Ironton. A new one was supplied from the N. & W. terminals.

Second Operation

Chris Widdebrook received word Saturday that his daughter, Mrs. Fred Lappein, who recently underwent an operation in a Cincinnati hospital, was to undergo another operation Saturday. Mrs. Lappein's condition is grave, and it is feared that she will not survive the ordeal.

Victim Is Improving

Thomas Cameron, victim of an accidential shooting which occurred at Mt. Elo, back of Limeville, Ky., more than a week ago, is improving and no serious results are anticipated from the wound.

The shooting was purely accidental, both men, Jake Collins and Cameron being more or less intoxicated and getting into a friendly scuffle when the gun was discharged, striking Cameron in the head inflicting a slight wound which was not regarded as serious from the first.

Moved To New Home

After initiating seven candidates into the River City Camp Woodmen of the World last night the members got busy and moved from their old quarters in the Red Men's hall to the new quarters in the Ben Hur hall at the corner of Fifth and Cillicothe.

WOMEN AFTER KANSAS JUDGE

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 12—With a howling mob of women at his heels Judge Smeltzer, of Iola, who sentenced Mrs. Ella Reese to work out a sentence on the rock pile, is in for a lovely time of it in the next few days.

The mob was organized here today and is being led by Mrs. Elizabeth Barr, editor of a woman's club magazine.

She declared that the women would prevent the execution of the sentence with the last drop of their blood.

Capture of the judge by violence is contemplated, if necessary.

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He seems no bigger than a fly,
Poised on the edge up there.
Upon his head the sun rays flame,
As on the topmost span
He toils, a hero lost to fame—
The brave skyscraper man.

To him the city crowns a mile,
Far, far beneath his feet,
As toiling at his dizzy height
He makes the span complete.
He sees through peering, half-shut lids
More wonders built at home
Than Egypt with its pyramids
Or Caesars with their Rome.

Perhaps a hundred times a day
He touches hands with death.
The mighty girders swing and sway,
And as we hold our breath
He puts the iron in its place,
Linked to another span,
And works with brave, hearty grace—
The bold skyscraper man.

Ah, would that he might talk with us;
No doubt some mighty thought
Would come into our knowledge thus
Out of his labors wrought.
Perchance some great, inspiring theme
Would pass from man to man,
Some vision of the toiler's dream
From the skyscraper man.

The whistle blows, he's through at last;
He leaves his place on high
And to the earth descending fast
Looks 'round with eager eye.
Surely some wisdom we shall learn—
What are those words we hear?
"Say, where's old Nolan? It's his turn
To blow me to a beer!"

His Skull Hit The Brick

Street car 208, east bound, struck a wagon belonging to the Leet Lumber Co., on the corner of Offnere and Ninth streets Saturday morning. The force of the collision knocked Jake Adams, the driver off his wagon and the back of his skull hit the pavement with considerable force, cutting a deep gash in Adams' head. The wagon was not damaged.

The accident occurred in a peculiar manner. As the car swung around the corner the iron rail on the rear end caught a shaft of the wagon. The horse was dragged about eight feet and was skinned up. Although the rail was bent almost in two the shaft did not break.

Adams was taken to the Street Railway Company's office where his wound was treated.

HOTEL WILL CLOSE

The Hotel Portsmouth on West Front street will again close its doors tonight.

Miss Alice Bolt, the young woman, who has been conducting the hostelry for the past several months, has decided to quit the business which has proven a losing venture. She will resume her former position as a shoeworker and go to housekeeping with her widowed mother.

Horse Injured.

A horse owned by William Holden residing in Brewery Hollow, fell down while being driven into town on the Gallia Pike Saturday morning. The horse was considerably skinned up and had a gash cut in his side. Dr. Lake treated the animal.

Dr. Wright's Rapid Relief

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9,000 INSANE HAVE NO FRIENDS LIVING

There are 2000 insane patients in Ohio state institutions whose family connections are absolutely unknown to the state authorities. The board of state charities and corrections has been trying to discover traces of relationship of these unfortunates but has been unsuccessful. The 2000 letters which the department sent out have been returned undelivered, and 20 per cent of the state's wards remain unknown except by the name under which they are listed.

Much of the loss of identity is the result of the general transfer in 1904 of insane persons from the county infirmaries of the state to state hospitals. There was some confusion in the transfer and records of the families of many of the transferred patients were lost.

Tickets Ready.

The board of elections late Friday finished the work of getting the city tickets for the coming primaries ready for the printer.

Completes Repair Job.

Contracting Tinner Louis Lauter has just completed a big repair job at Frank Krause's home on Carey's Run.

A FREE TICKET IS OFFERED

The Woodmen of the World has offered to any member securing a new application for the lodge before September the 17th, a free excursion ticket to Cincinnati on that date when the W. O. W. ball team will play Boggs' Wild Cats. The train will leave the N. & W. passenger depot at 4 a. m. and returning will leave Cincinnati at 8:45 p. m.

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and should not be allowed to become chronic. Whether caused by heat or cold, stomach disorders or nervousness

Hicks' CAPUDINE

is the best remedy to take. It's liquid—effects immediate—pleasant to take. 10c, 25c and 50c at drug stores.

May Revive Tennis Tourney This Year

Guy Thompson and Maurice Briggs, local tennis cracks, were defeated yesterday by Messrs. William Maxon and Warren Ault, of Ironton. The games were warmly contested, the local players capturing one set, and making the visitors extend themselves to the limit in the others.

Ironton captured the first set, 6 to 2; Portsmouth took the second, by the same score, 6 to 2; and Ironton came back in the third set, winning 6 to 4.

The fourth set, which meant the match was a hard fought one but the up-river sharps finally won by a score of 6 to 4.

In connection with the visit of the players gossip has de[...] that the old Triple-State tournaments, which used to bring together the crack players of this section may be revived.

If this is done, Portsmouth, Ironton and Huntington would probably be contenders for the honor of holding the tournament. The event has been held here three times. It has always started on Labor Day.

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Men's Sleeveless Athletic Under Shirts, 25c quality 10c

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Elbert Artis Talks On His Murder Case

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 12—Elbert Artis, convicted recently in the criminal court of Cabell county of the murder of Mrs. Elizabeth Hall and sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary on a second degree verdict has made a public statement:

"I am convicted," he says, "of the murder of Mrs. Hall and have already been sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of years. I will never be able to serve out; my health will not let me live that long in confinement and for that at least I shall thank God. I will not be the first man who has paid the penalty for another's crime.

"In making this statement I do not do so with the desire to "get even" with anyone. This is an instance where spades will be called spades.

"If a man can tell what a square deal is it is high time to reflect. Take my case for instance. If I was really guilty of the crime charged against me I should have suffered the full penalty with no half way measure about it for I was, under the evidence, guilty or not guilty. If not guilty I should be with my beloved wife this moment instead of watching God's sunshine filter in to me through steel bars.

"The old farce of sticking the crime on some one when the guilty person can't be found, is more than farcial the whole way through but my case is but one of many. They burned witches at the stake in Salem long, long ago on proof no stronger than the court and jury of today required to tie men to the stake of eternal oblivion. Of course I understand that it is a feather in the cap of the chief of police but it is amusing to watch the transitory process whereby the feather becomes a plume. It would have been just as easy to convict me of the murder of any other person, and I feel assured it could have been done with the same witnesses presented by the state against me.

"It is my positive belief that had that great tribunal my attorney, Mr. Graham, spoke of that tried Jesus Christ, had the state's witnesses in my case they could have convicted him of any crime under heaven. Judas betrayed his Master for thirty pieces of silver but these hirelings of the state convicted me for a sum far smaller. No one can tell more about this than myself for what I say is the result of bitter experience, the experience that has ruined many a young man who has for a few hours of carnal pleasure lost everything in the world dear to him, even life itself.

"I am not saying this for sympathy—sympathy means nothing to me now but God alone knows I am innocent of the crime for which they have decided to make me an old and broken man and in the end a corpse that shall lay a fallen monument to the mistakes of men—to their cruelty. The public is in the dark but some day, if God is just, the truth will come out.

"I have a wife who has stuck by me and my love shall ever be her own, valueless though it may be to her now. Still she will have the memory of it when I am gone. The fact that I am sorry I was so silly as to place myself in a position where such a crime could be fastened upon me, does not alter matters now—many a man has been sorry too late.

"When my wife went on the stand she swore the truth, every word of it, and that is something that the state's witnesses did not do. They swore they could remember seeing me a year from the time they went on the stand and that they remembered just how I was dressed, and one of them swore he remembered how I was dressed when he couldn't even remember how he himself was dressed. Can any one of you who read this statement, think back for a year clearly and remember seeing anyone you knew, especially a mere acquaintance, and tell how that person was dressed. I feel free to answer that question—you can not.

"The newspapers say I am a lucky criminal. In the first place I am no criminal. I have committed no crime, but I have become the victim of perjured witnesses and circumstances, and because of that am doomed to go to the penitentiary for eighteen years, a term I will never be able to serve out. If ever a human being received a brutal, dirty deal, it has been myself, and that fact is known, but the knowledge lies where it will be kept a secret until my life has paid the forfeit circumstances have exacted.

"I realize that the evidence in my case looked dark, but it had been well colored by a master hand. My case looked dark, but was cut and dried before it ever came to trial. The state never even proved that Mrs. Hall was murdered, and if she was and they had established that fact, they never proved where she met her death.

"So, leaving my case with Him that doeth all things well, I shall submit to the inevitable and begin on my brand new eighteen years that I will never see the end of this side of eternity.

"ELBERT D. ARTIS."

What Is Soap?

This is a matter which few except chemists understand. Let us give you a little information. Soap is a composition of fat and alkali, which, if properly proportioned and treated, results in a new chemical product which bears this name.

The best cleanser in the world is soap—pure soap, in which the ingredients are scientifically combined. The cheap "soaps" with which the market is flooded, contain so much alkali that fabrics washed with them are soon ruined.

Try Hewitt's Easy Task Soap, which is the true blend of tallow, cocoanut oil and borax, and see the rapid improvement in the wash and the hands which do it.

BOAT OWNER DRAWS A FINE

The warning issued by Squire Brickey to owners of boats who were mooring them on the Kentucky shore without license, was not heeded by all of them, and yesterday the C. & O. railway company brought suit before Squire Brickey against James Kelly for trespassing.

The 'Squire fined Kelley $5 and costs. After the trial Henry Holley of East Portsmouth claimed that the boat belonged to him, and he took it to his own property.

Other cases decided in Squire Brickey's court were:

Albert Smith vs. George Painter, on account. Judgment for plaintiff for $10.

Spencer Sweeney vs. J. L. Murray for detaining live stock, defendant fined $25 and costs.

F. Frazier against M. C. Ferguson, breach of the peace. Ferguson fined one cent and costs.

Lawrence Smith vs. Archie, Ellis and William Hamilton, on a charge of carrying away vegetables and trespassing; dismissed.

PUT IN THE WRONG PARTY

In the list of candidates for the primary election, published in the Times Thursday evening, the name of George H. Davis, candidate for Mayor of Otway, should have been on the Republican ticket instead of the Democratic ticket. A similar mistake was also made in the case of W. H. Johnson, candidate for treasurer.

Push Paving Right Ahead

Kaps Bros. are now making up for lost time, and by the close of today will have the concreting of East Eighth street laid, as far East as Gay. At this rate of progress the street will be completed and opened for traffic early in Septmbr.

Notice To All Maccabees.

All Maccabees of Camp 494 are urged to be present at a special review to be held at Eagles' hall, Saturday night, August 12, to meet the state lecturer, M. V. Hanson. 9-4t

TO TAKE PATIENT TO COLUMBUS

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ditty will leave next Monday with Miss Mary Larkins, an infirmary patient who has tuberculosis. The infirmary directors, of which Mr. Ditty is one, have made arrangements with the Columbus officials to take charge of the Scioto county patients until a home can be erected here.

Call the Interstate Transfer Company for sand or gravel. 11-10t

Parson's Love Song Declared Hot Stuff

St. Louis, Aug. 12—"Oh, let me kiss those rosy lips of thine; oh, let me see those sparkling eyes of thine."

So run two lines in a song just published by the Rev. Dr. Pedro Ilgen, pastor of the Holy Ghost Evangelical Lutheran church here, music by Lone Fleming.

The vulgar call the song "hot stuff," and say that with a guitar accompaniment it will keep a parlor warmer than would a ton of coal. The Rev. Dr. Ilgen, being asked when he drew his inspiration only smiled and said:

"The songs of Solomon have love for their topic. I do not think it extraordinary that I should write a love song."

The clergyman's perfervid muse goes on:

Oh, let me see those sparkling eyes
of thine;
They are like stars of heaven,
yonder bright,
And, then, thou star, look deeply
into mine;
All there is light, all there is light
Oh, let me kiss those rosy lips of
thine,
Those sweet lips, once sweetly
kissed by mine—
I call them ours.

The reverend doctor threatens to write some more songs.

BURGLARS WERE FRIGHTENED OFF

Martin Cook early Saturday morning discovered that an attempt had been made to rob his store at No. 609 Gallia street some time during the night.

Two panes of a rear window were found broken and the top sash lowered, the latch having been turned loose. Martin failed to find anything missing and it is thought the burglars were frightened away.

CUTTERS ADOPT A NEW SYSTEM

By a majority of only three votes the cutters in the employ of the Selby Shoe Company at a meeting Friday adopted the new point system, which the officials have been toiling with for the past six months.

It provides for the grading of the ninety cutters, there being thirty No. 1 cutters and sixty No. 2 cutters. There is practically no difference in the wages of the men. The chief aim of the new system is to grade the work.

Hereafter all button, tan and fancy work will go to the No. 1 cutters and the second grade work will go to the No. 2 cutters.

The best cutters get a higher price for their work, but they cannot maintain the speed of the No. 2's. A day's work for the higher grade cutters will hereafter be about 50 pairs instead of 78. The No. 2's will not be restricted and can cut as many shoes as they are able.

BEN HURS DEDICATED THEIR FINE NEW HALL

One of the biggest times in the history of the Portsmouth Tribe of Ben Hur took place Friday night when the elegant new hall in the Richardson building was dedicated with a big initiation. Few of the members of the Tribe were absent and the spacious chamber was packed. The new hall is beautifully fitted out and the Order deserves much credit for the artistic blending of different objects used in the room.

Twenty-two were taken into the Tribe and the initiation went through without a hitch, and following this, refreshments were served. A number of short speeches were made by members and officers of the local Tribe. Dr. J. F. Foster, fo Dayton, Ohio, state manager of the Tribe of Ben Hur, made a short address on the points of the order's teachings.

The new quarters of the Tribe of Ben Hur are among the finest in Portsmouth. The general color scheme is old rose and green, the sidewalls being tinted in these colors. The big hall is electric lighted.

Following is the list of those initiated: Everett Speck, Emma Purtee, Hannah Purtee, Minnie Hamilton, Mary James, Mary Akers, Charles Johnson, Lizzie Bahner, Charles Bolin, Kelley Pleasant, C. R. Mason, Rebecca Garrett, Blanche Stith, Nettie Carter, James Carter, W. K. Burt, S. Stevens, William West, O. E. Jackman, George Sinny and Francis Heimson.

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Has this been your case? Have you spent your money in a fruitless effort to be cured without obtaining any benefit? Have you taken treatment so long that you have despaired of ever obtaining a cure of your trouble? If so, we say to you **Call and See us** and we will quickly convince you that we can and will make good every promise we make.

Don't hesitate to come to us because you feel you will be unable to pay. We are more interested in seeing that you are completely relieved of your trouble than in what you pay or how you pay us. You will find that our fee will be no more than you can conveniently pay and we are willing for you to pay it in any way that will suit your circumstances.

Our specialty is treatment of the Head, Lungs, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels or Sexual Troubles and women and men with nervous prostration, who are discouraged and despondent cured, no matter how many doctors have given you up; **Nervousness, Lost Vitality,** no matter what the cause, **Varicose Enlargement, Blood Poison, Piles, Cancer and all lingering Chronic Diseases**—the success we have and the large number of patients we are dismissing happy in the thought that at last they have gotten rid of their troubles, assures you a cure where others have failed to even benefit you.

We will cure you quicker than other specialists for the reason that with our immense practice we are able to do the right thing at the right moment in the right way in order to bring about the quickest scientific results.

We say to those who have taken other treatment without benefit and to those who have neglected themselves until their condition has become chronic, begin treatment with us at once, and you will receive decided benefits and a cure of your trouble.

To those who are feeling the first symptoms of their trouble—**Not sick but worn out—lack energy and have a feeling that they do not have the ambition they used to have** we say it is your duty to yourself to consult us at once and find out just what is the matter. We will make a thorough examination of your case and tell you just what is necessary for you to do.

Don't waste time and money in experimenting—you can't afford to treat **with anyone but the best** for if you do you will pay out more money in the end without receiving anything in return than it would have cost you to get the best treatment in the beginning. **Nor can you afford to neglect yourself—to let your trouble run along without attention—for just as sure as you do** you will find that your trouble will become chronic and will require much more time to get rid of it. **"Take time by the forelock" and be cured at once.** You don't want to burden your whole life by neglecting yourself now. Call and find out just where and how you stand.

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$6.60 Indianapolis, Aug. 18, 19, 20, Limit Aug. 27.

$13.00 Norfolk and return. On sale August 22. Limit September 5th.

$15.60 Rochester, N. Y. August 18th to 21st inc. Limit August 31st, on payment of $1.00 limit will be extended Sept. 30th.

$9.00 Niagara Falls, August 17. Limit 12 days.

$6.60 Indianapolis, Sept. 16, 17, 20. Limit Sept. 26.

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On Trip In Auto

Mayor H. C. Searey and family expect to leave in their touring car Sunday morning for Sandusky and Cedar Point. Mrs. Sarey and children will visit relatives at Vermilion, Ohio, among them the Mayor's niece, Mrs. Mattie Niesting, whom he has not seen in twenty years. Mr. Searey will attend an outing of Ohio Life Insurance Agents at Cedar Point, having won a free trip in the contest that was held during the months of June and July. He and family will return early next week.

Old Fashioned Beef Barbecue

The Ladies' Progressive Society of Pleasant Green Baptist church will give a barbecue on the open grounds at the corner of Sixteenth and Union streets, on Labor Day. It is going to be a regular old fashioned affair. The beef will be roasted right on the grounds and will be served steaming hot. Of course there will be extras, at which the members of the society are experts at preparing, and you can have the beef and all for 25 cents.

WOODMEN TO GIVE A BIG SOCIAL

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Orders A Hup.

Dr. M. J. Beard of [illegible] has just placed an order for a Hupmobile with the [illegible] Automobile Company.

WILL GIVE LAWN FETE

The Loyal Sons of Oldtown church will give a lawn fete at Union Mills next Tuesday evening.

Notice to Woodmen.

To All Members and Visiting Members:

River City Camp will unveil the monument of the late Herbert Hicks, at Green Lawn cemetery Sunday afternoon. All members are urged to meet at the hall, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, at 1:30 o'clock.

George A. Dary,
Roy McKinsey,
C. C. Mister.

At Vanceburg.

Harry Jordan, of Jordan's grocery, left Saturday for Vanceburg, where he will be the guests of friends over Sunday.

200 Pairs Ladies' Patent, Dull, Tan and Suede Ties and Oxfords, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 Values, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. Look in the Window 98c

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MASONIC CALENDAR.

Stated meeting of Mt. Vernon Chapter Monday evening, Aug. 14 After which Aurora Lodge will meet for work in the Entered Apprentice Degree.

WANTED.

WANTED:—Middle aged woman to do general house work at 427 Gallia St. 12-3

WANTED:—Washing to do at 240 Court. 12-3

WANTED:—Dining room girl at the Grimes hotel. 11-2

WANTED:—The person who found my diamond ring in front of my house to return it and receive liberal reward. Mrs. H. L. Sherman, 15 West Rhodes Avenue, New Boston. 11-3

WANTED:—Desirable rooms to open a Photo Studio with artificial light, in a good locality. Ground floor preferred. Name rent and address "Photographer" Times Office. 11-3

AGENTS WANTED:—The live agents' seller of the year. Every home office and factory needs it. Sells easy. Sure repeater. 100 per cent profit. Postal brings particulars. The Warren Mfg. Co., Orrville, O. 11-2

WANTED:—Position either in shoe store or hardware store. Can furnish references. Address Salesman, Care Times Office. 10-3

WANTED:—12 room house centrally located or would rent larger one. Address X. Y. Z. care Times Office. 9-tf

WANTED:—Unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping or small house with conveniences for man and wife. F. S. Bogy, 273 East Second St. Phone Y 473. 8-tf

NOTICE: For package delivery call Antone Schreick 81 West Front. Home phone A1191. 7-6

WANTED:—Cook at St. Louis Hotel. 7-tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home Phone 490. 20-tf

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected, large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co. Rooms 6, 7 and 8, 613 Chillicothe St. Home phone A-1187. Cut this out.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able-bodied, unmarried men between ages 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 603 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio. july 1 1912

FOR SALE—Forty foot building at the Terminals. $500. C. Bauer, 342 Twelfth street. New phone A 1154. 8-10-12

WOMEN:—Sell guaranteed hose. 100 per cent profit. Make $10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Strong Box 4029 West Philadelphia, Pa. 5-12-19-26

WANTED: You to get your shoes repaired at Coryell's. Best work. Best material, 579 Eleventh Street. 3-3 10-3

CHEAPEST PLACE in Portsmouth TO BUY LUMBER E. M. FUNK, No. 120 Twelfth Street

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A man who starts an account with a HOME bank, no matter how small his start, if he keeps at it not only accumulates and increase his credit, but also build up in force of character, in energy, in inspiration, in ability to accomplish what he sets out to do, in capacity to command money and command a place among the leaders of his community.

YOU NEED a bank account—we are pleased to have you call to extend to you all the courtesies and help consistent with safe, sound banking.

The Central Nat'l. Bank 15 Gallia Street

WE WRITE FIRE INSURANCE

THE FRANK B. FINNEY COMPANY, 19 Gallia Street. Market Square.

WANTED:—To rent four or five rooms or small house; no children. Call or address 1814 Oakland avenue. 12-3

WANTED:—Woman to assist in house work. Old Ladies Home. Both phones. 12-3

WANTED:—Position in a drug store. References. Four years' experience. Address by letter only D. Care Times. 12-3

WANTED: Two girls for general work at Gray's restaurant, 174 East Tenth. Apply at once. 12-2

WANTED:—Girl to assist in house work. No washing or ironing. Good wages. Apply at once 13 West Sixth St. 12-1

MEN WANTED:—Age 18 to 35, for firemen, $100 monthly; brakemen $80; on nearby railroads. Experience unnecessary; no strike. Positions guaranteed competent men. Promotion. Railroad Employing Headquarters, 289 men sent to positions in July. State age; send stamp. Railway Association, Box 410 Times. aug12-19

WANTED—Salesmen for snappy pocket sideline, new goods, quick shipments and prompt commissions. State territory covered in first letter. Burd Mfg. Co., 241 No. 5th Ave., Chicago. 12-1

WANTED:—Middle aged woman or girl to assist in general house work. 746 East Ninth. 12-3

NOTICE—We will remove from your premises dead horses, cows and hogs free of charge; same, however, must be whole, skins and tails left on. Home phone 337. Bell phone, Main 22. The Portsmouth Chemical Co. -e-o-d

WANTED Top Stitcher, Tongue Sewer and Table help. Apply at Lloyd Adams Shoe Co. 10-3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Young driving horse perfectly gentle. Surrey and harness. Phone Y 483 or apply 1710 Oakland. 11-3

TALK WITH DEAN AND GET YOUR MONEY. 25-tf

FOR SALE:—Fresh cow. Call W. Scott Noel, West Side, or apply 1411 Offnere. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Gentleman's wheel 703 Market Street. Bell phone 422 K after 6 o'clock. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Fine Jersey cow. Call on or address Dr. Hutchins, Sciotoville, O. Both phones. 11-3

FOR SALE:—Express wagon. Carroll make nearly new, with calf crate. Findeis Meat Market. 11-3

FOR SALE:—5 room, two story house on High street, lot 36½ ft. wide, for $2000. See P. W. Kilcoyne, 1222 Grandview ave. phone B 922, after 5 p. m. 10-6

FOR SALE:—Phaeton in good condition. Call at 821 Harvard. 10-6

FOR SALE:—3 room cottage at New Boston. Easy terms. Call at East End Furniture Co. 11th and Lawson. Simpson Block. 10-tf

FOR SALE:—House and 35 foot lot $1400 if sold at once. Apply 449 East Seventh. 8-5

FOR SALE:—Either driving or work horse. Inquire The Tritscheller Co. 5-6

FOR SALE:—6 room, two story house, bath, piped with water and gas, at 712 New Eighth. Inquire 713 New Eighth. 5-10

FOR SALE:—Houses, lots and farm. Some on easy payments. P. W. Kilcoyne. Phone B-922. 8-tf

FOR SALE:—I have the best bargains in 4, 5, 6, and 7 room houses I ever had. Payments to suit. Call Phone X-962. H. A. Bierley. 15-tf

FOR SALE:—230 acre farm on Harrisonville and Minn's Run pike, 6 miles from Portsmouth. All or part. Call on or address D. W. Gastin, 813 Murray St. 8-6

FOR SALE.

Modern 8 room house on Hill Top car line. New and up to-date in every respect.

Finished in hardwood, first class plumbing and fixtures. Large barn. A good home at a bargain. Worth $5000. Will sell for $4000. Terms $1000 cash, balance monthly. If you are looking for a new, modern home at the right price investigate.

New 4 room cottage with bath and pantry. Everything complete, now under construction, on hill. $1950.00.

J. E. SHUMP "The Real Estate Man" Home phone A 672. 1448 Grandview

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Auctioneers, Furniture Packers, Craters and Shippers. Repair and Upholstery.

Daily sales, all kinds of goods in our auction room. Special auction sales of furniture every Friday.

Phone, Home 923. PEEL & CO. 94 West Second Street.

FOR SALE:—35 ft. iron fence, good as new. Cheap. At 16 W. Eighth. 12-3

FOR SALE:—$40.00 Davenport $20.00. White enameled gas range, cost $35.00 for $15.00. Apply 413 Offnere. 12-3

FOR SALE:—Good family horse, gentle and reliable. Call 101 West Sixth. 12-3

FOR SALE:—An 18 gallon brass kettle with stand and stirrer. 480 Highland avenue. 12-2

FOR RENT:—6 room house, gas, cellar and cistern. 1306 High. 12-3

FOR SALE:—6 room house on Hill Top car line; 7 room on Grimes avenue; six room house on East Seventh; 8 room on Gallia street. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1222 Grandview Ave. Phone B 922 after 5 p. m. 12-6

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath and private entrance. 117 East Third. 11-tf

FOR RENT: Furnished front room at 403½ Court St. 10-tf

FOR RENT—2 room cottage, furnished, for light housekeeping. See 821 Court. 10-3

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping with all conveniences. Inquire 78 Gallia. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room with bath, 21 East Eighth. 8 tf

FOR RENT:—Modern 6 room house 410 Gallia. Inquire at Grassman's bakery, 715 Chillicothe. 11-3

FOR RENT 6 room house, 455 Brown street. See Dr. C. F. Kline. Phones No. 1. 11-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping with all conveniences, 117 West Third 2-tf

FOR RENT 2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. All conveniences. Inquire 518 Union. 5-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room 110 East Third. 29tf

FOR RENT:—Large store room 75x20 ft: Plate glass front, corner Ninth and Offnere. First class location for grocery, drug store, or any other mercantile business. Apply Thomas A. Simpson, agent, 1413 Lincoln Street. Phone 489. 27tf

MONEY TO LOAN On City Property The Portsmouth German BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION CO. EDGAR F. DRAPER, Sec'y. MASONIC TEMPLE

GEO. W. GRIMES GENERAL INSURANCE

Fire, Life, Accident, Health, Liability. Boiler, Burglary, Automobile. Judicial and Contract Bonds Office 109 Gallia Ave.

THIS HOUSE FOR SALE On Summit Street; 5 rooms, bath; lot 36½ feet. See MERLE O. DUDUIT Phone A 1183. Phone 2 on 101 Masonic Temple; Room 300

Missing Girl Has Been Heard From

Filled with repentance because she had not written her aged father for seven years, and thinking that perhaps he was dead, Mrs. Inez Menne, of Cincinnati, wrote a letter to Mayor Searey asking him to locate her father, if possible. The father's name is Charles W. Shaw, and he resides with his sister, Mrs. H. C. Arnold, 1509 North Waller. Mayor Searey received the letter on Saturday.

Mr. Shaw is an old man, nearly 70 years of age, and trembling with age. When asked if he had a daughter by the name of Menne residing in Cincinnati, he gave a start, and with a voice vibrant with emotion, said: "I used to have, but I haven't heard from her for seven years."

Mr. Shaw stated that about eight years ago he visited his daughter in Cincinnati, but after returning here never heard from her. He wrote letter after letter but no reply was received. Efforts were made to locate the daughter at that time. After a few months had gone by the search was given up.

Mr. Shaw has no idea what became of the girl in the meantime and knows no reason why she has not written him. Communication will be re-established at once.

FOR RENT:—Seven room house, 96 East Second. Modern improvements. Five room house, 932 East Sixth. Five room house, 602 Campbell avenue. Modern improvements. Six room house, 455 Brown street. Modern improvements. Eight room house, 39 West Second Modern improvements. Five room house, 232 East Fifth. C. S. Cadot, Masonic Temple. 12-1

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room for light house keeping No. 50 East Fourth. 12-2

FOR RENT:—Four room, two story alley house, gas and water. Inquire phone A 762 12-1

FOR RENT—Two rooms with privilege of bath on Hill Top. Phone A 762. 12-1

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms. 417 Court St. 12-2

FOR RENT: Furnished room suitable for light housekeeping. 86 East Fourth. 12-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 324 Robinson avenue. Call evenings. 12-3

FOR RENT:—408 Campbell avenue, new six room house, with gas, bath and laundry. $20 a month. Will be vacant after August 22. Phone B 1205. 12 tf

LOST

LOST:—Pocketbook containing two dollar bill and door key between Grassman's bakery and Tenth on the East side of Chillicothe. Return to Henry Long, 168 Fifteenth. Reward. 12-1

FOUND:—Pair nose glasses in front of Masonic Temple. Owner can have same by calling at 411 East Sixth street, identifying and paying 39 cents for ad. 12-3

LOST:—Somewhere Wednesday afternoon between Second and Chillicothe, brooch neck pin. Finder call Home phone X 1216 or address Mrs. Fred Oliver, 1612 Dewey Ave., and receive liberal reward. 10-3

Eugene E. Knox, Masonic Temple, Insures anything Insurable

This Company stands ready to advance cash on first mortgage to anyone wishing to improve their property. Buy a home ready for occupancy or build a new one. If in need of cash for these purposes just ask us to explain our plan whereby the borrower pays interest on the unpaid balance only each six months.

THE ROYAL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY 19 Gallia St. Upper Market Square.

READY MONEY

SUPPOSE you were in need of money and wanted it quickly and quietly, where would you go? You would not go to a friend if you could help it—neither would you go to the old style money lenders who charge high and unreasonable rates. But you would do this. You would go in a business-like way to a loan company that did business in a straight forward and legitimate manner; arrange for your loan at a low rate; get a copy of your agreement, which is a plain statement of the sum borrowed and the amounts of your regular payments.

We transact business with thousands of people in just this way. Loans are made within one day of application, quietly and confidentially. That is why we are doing the loan business of this city.

MONEY TO LOAN OHIO LOAN Co. Masonic Temple Bldg

Greeks Fight

A grudge between William Michoperus and Alex. Malavazos, Greeks, employed at the Millbrook park pavilion, led to a fight between them at Fifth and Chillicothe streets late Friday night.

The two were arrested but allowed to go after friends posted a $20 forfeit for their appearance. Malavazos' eye-glasses were broken in the mixup. Mayor Seney ordered the other to replace these and suspended their fines of $4.8 each pending good behavior.

Metcalf Is To Leave

J. C. Metcalf, who for the past few months has been in charge of A. Steinkamp's big store on West Second street, will leave next week with his family on a vacation trip that will take them down into Boone county, Ky.

When it is completed Mr. Metcalf will enter his company's Cincinnati store and a new manager will come here. Mr. Metcalf has placed the business on an excellent footing and the store will go right on under its new management. Mr. Metcalf and estimable family have made many friends during their stay in the River City.

Pocket Book Recovered

With his night lantern J. S. Pierron, air inspector, discovered the pocket book belonging to Miss Collins, which was reported in Wednesday night's Times to have been found at the N. & W. depot. Miss Collins had purchased a ticket to Cincinnati and walked up the track to take train No. 21 which was on a siding. Inspector Pierron came along shortly afterward and in flashing his lantern around as usual he discovered the purse, which was filled with money. He returned it to the depot and it was afterward sent to the owner.

Pierron with his lantern have found many valuables along his route.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage license issued Saturday:

Charles Edward Wildig, 25, farmer, and Miss Zonia McNamee, 20, both of Lucasville. Squire Byron made the couple happy by tying the knot and sent them on their way.

No Game At Lima

Lima, Ohio, August 12—(Spl.)—Today's game was called off at one o'clock owing to a terrific rainstorm that swept the city. Two games will be played Sunday. Manager Childs will use Ahearn and Meyers in an effort to repeat Friday's feat at Hamilton when the Champs won both games of a double header.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 12—The last sale of stocks closed today as follows:

Amalgamated Copper 61½.
American Beet Sugar 59½.
American Sugar Refining 114.
Baltimore & Ohio 102¼.
Chesapeake & Ohio 75½.
Illinois Central 137½.
Louisville & Nashville 142½.
New York Central 103⅝.
Norfolk & Western 101.
Pennsylvania 120⅝.
United States Steel 72½.
United States Steel, Preferred 125⅝.

Chicago, Aug. 12—The week just has been uneventful only so far as the speculation on the Board of Trade was concerned. Fluctuations were limited to the fractional parts of a cent on all cereals during the entire week. The markets closed practically the same today as they did last week at this date, corn being about a half cent higher and wheat about the same. It does not seem as is usually the case at this season of the year the question of supply and demand that is governing the values of the cereals, but it is dwindling down to be altogether a weather market. While the West has been having copious rains in different localities the rains have not been as widespread as they should have been to cause the fears now entertained as to the corn crop being eliminated, but in many sections they have had an abundance of rain and the prospects in this particular section indicate a bumper crop of corn.

Spring wheat threshing is now taking place, and the yield now so far as can be learned is fully up to the expectations. Taking the situation as a whole, there is no grounds for anticipating anything like a dangerous shortage.

GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12—Wheat,

OPENING

Wheat, Sept., 93¼; Dec., 97½; May 102⅞.

Oats, Sept., 41⅞; Dec., 44⅜ and ½; May 47¼ to 47⅜.

Corn, Sept., 65⅝ to 65½ and ⅝; Dec., 63; May 65¼.

CLOSE

Wheat, Sept., 92⅝; Dec., 96⅞; May 102½.

Corn, Sept., 65⅝; Dec., 62½; May 64⅜.

Oats, Sept., 41⅞; Dec., 44¼; May 47¼.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12—Hogs: receipts, 7000 head; market, strong; mixed, $7.10 to $7.90; good, $7.20 to $7.80; light, $7.30 to $7.82½; pigs, $6.10 to $7.50.

Cattle: receipts, 200 head; market, steady; beeves, $5.60 to $7.65; cows and heifers, $2.20 to $8.10; stockers and feeders $3.00 to $5.50; calves, $5.75 to $8.25.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 2,500 head; market, strong; natives, $2.40 to $3.85; lambs, $4.00 to $7.00.

Pittsburg, Pa., August 12—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady.

Hogs: receipts, light; market, active; prime heavy, $7.75 to $7.85; medium, $8.20 to $8.25; heavy yorkers, $8.20 to $8.25; light yorkers, $8.20 to $8.25; pigs, $7.25 to $8.10.

C. & O. CARS ROBBED

Thieves Friday night broke into two C. & O. box cars near Greenup, Ky., and carried away considerable merchandise. It is thought they are headed this way and the police are keeping a lookout for them.

Isadore Goodman and Charley McCormick are at home from a week's outing at Arion. Mr. and Mrs. Si Straus and Mr. and Mrs. Straus will remain another week longer.

Pat Kelley of the Haas Clothing Company, who has been in the East the past week is now in Canada, where he will remain a few days.

Auto Skidded Over Big Bank

H. R. Weeks, of Columbus, and several friends had a close call from serious injury while motoring around the Boulevard, Friday evening. Their machine skidded and plunged over a small embankment. It did not turn over, but the occupants were dumped out. The men secured a few boards and righted the machine in thirty minutes. After being cranked it ran smoothly and they returned to this city. Mr. Weeks, who is a real estate man in the Capital City, had his left knee severely bruised.

HAMMER AND PAINT

The foundation of the new business building which Mary Donohoo is erecting on East Ninth street, near Waller, is laid. The rest of the work will be rushed, and it is hoped to have the building completed by October.

A fine new business building is being erected on the corner of Nineteenth street and Finmonds avenue. It will be occupied by a grocery, to be operated by a local man at present a foreman in a shoe factory.

Ground was broken Wednesday on Walter Ruhlman's new auto mobile garage on East Gallia street. Lincoln Poole, the contractor, who is associated with Walter in the new enterprise, is supervising the work.

Contractor C. E. Nourse Wednesday began work on three modern six room houses Melvin Funk is going to build on Oakland avenue. They will contain bath, gas and all modern conveniences. Later Mr. Funk will build three more on the same street.

Dan White is having the front of his West Second street jewelry store repainted.

Lehman Bros. are having a new cement sidewalk laid in front of their brick property near Eleventh and Guy streets.

Contractor Ed. Brehmer has a force of painters redecorating all the halls in the Masonic Temple. The work is being done under the supervision of Custodian C. S. Cadot. All the woodwork is to be brightened.

Frank L. Marting Saturday awarded the contract of repainting his residence at Seventh and Findlay streets to Ed. Brehmer. Work will be commenced Monday.

Champ Melon Raiser

George Duty, of Gephart's station, is the champion sugar melon raiser of the vicinity, at least that is what some of his neighbors say who have tasted of the "sweets." Mr. Duty weighed a melon yesterday which tipped the scales at eight pounds. Those who partook of the treat say it was one of the finest melons they ever tasted.

Mr. Duty is a prosperous farmer residing next to the farm of Mrs. Elizabeth Hurst. Mrs. Hurst rented her farm this summer and is now visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Miller, and brother, George Baer. Also her son, Willard Hurst, with whom she expects to leave next week for Michigan to visit relatives.

HEAT KEEPS UP, WHAT CAUSES IT

The terrific heat the past few weeks is caused by the construction of the Panama canal. Man thinks he is greater than God, but the Lord knew what He was doing when He put the Isthmus of Panama where He did and He wanted it to stay like He made it.

This new and remarkable theory was advanced Friday by Hetty Green, America's richest woman. Whether she is right or wrong the temperature kept on soaring Saturday and the maximum was reached was 97 at 2 o'clock. The lowest during the night was 63.

Mrs. Green says the weather man is all 'bunk" and all his talk about high and low pressure is mere child's prattle. It has nothing whatever to do with the heat question.

"The heat is simply caused by the wrath of God visited upon the people of this country," she says, "for going down to Panama and defacing nature. Stop the work and fill up the hole and we will have a snowstorm. And there you are!"

WOMAN BURNED IN A GASOLINE EXPLOSION

The explosion of a small gasoline stove Saturday morning resulted in Mrs. Harriet Adams of East Front street, being seriously burned about the arms, face and breast.

Mrs. Adams was enveloped in a sheet of flame, but luckily did not inhale any of the flames. Her dress caught fire and for a few moments she was a human torch. Mrs. Adams didn't lose her head and grabbing a table cloth she wrapped herself in it and extinguished the flames, which had encircled her body. The stove was completely wrecked and the report of the explosion was heard a square away. A small child of Mrs. Adams was painfully burned as it was within a few feet of the stove when it let go. A leak in the tank caused the trouble.

JOE'S DRAY IS STRUCK

For the 'steenth time Joe Bell and his dray collided with a street car Saturday afternoon, the collision taking place at Third and Chillicothe streets. No serious damage resulted. The car was in charge of Motorman Ed Deebe.

BRIDWELL GOT 2 HITS

Al Bridwell regained his batting eye Friday in the Boston-Brooklyn game and he made two hits and fielded cleanly. It was a good start for Al in his old stamping ground.

WIEHLE HOLDING OWN TODAY

John Wiehle, who was shot down by Thomas Patton of Chaffins Mills continues to hold his own at the Hempstead hospital. No complicationshave developed and his condition Saturday was very favorable. Mrs. Wiehle was allowed to spend thirty minutes with her husband.

Patton will not be arraigned until Wiehle has entirely passed the danger zone.

Ashland Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seton and Samuel Seton of Ashland, Ky., motored to the city Friday on their way to Columbus. They departed last night after having all kinds of trouble between here and Ashland. They are going to Wheeling from Columbus and then on to Cumberland, Md., and Staunton, Va.

Hunter May Be Transferred

It was rumored in baseball circles Saturday that Fred Hunter will be turned over to Indianapolis in a few days. He will have a string atached to him.

Attorney W. R. Sprague has been indisposed for several days. He was able to be out Saturday.

SOCIETY

Miss Amelia Wilhelm went up to Shell Beach, Buckeye Lake, today, to attend a house party where her sister, Miss Elenore, is also a guest. They will go to Newark for a visit with friends before returning home.

Mrs. Thomas Routh, of Seneca, Kansas, who has been spending the past week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm, of East Fifth street, will leave Monday for her home in Kansas.

Mrs. Charles Hirn and daughter, Mrs. Albert Oberer, of Chillicothe, have returned to their home after a visit to the former's sister, Mrs. Herman Huels, Sr., of West Third street.

Mrs. John Lust and Mrs. W. E. Cook have returned from their trip to Pittsburg, Rochester and Buffalo. While in the latter city they were the guests of Mrs. Lust's brother, Rev. Duvall.

Mrs. Mary Mills, of Braddock, Pa., is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Mills, of East Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm and guest, Mrs. Thomas Routh, of Seneca, Kansas, spent Friday at the Wendelken cottage at Arion.

The members of the Peerless Club met in social session Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. U. Hoertel, on East Eleventh street. Delicious refreshments served by the hostess added to the pleasures. The meeting of last evening will be the last until late in the Fall.

The C. A. L. Club met in social session Friday evening at the home of Miss Jeanette Beaver on East Eleventh street. Dainty refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Lena Frantz, Ellen Watkins, Bertha Daum, Norma Heffner, Blanche Reutinger and guest, Miss Lucile Crissman, of Chillicothe. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Bertha Daum.

Mrs. W. H. Howard, wife of Rev. Howard of the U. B. church, and her little daughter Gladys, left today for Circleville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Groce. They will also visit in Columbus, Galloway and Harrisburg.

The Fidelity Society of the United Brethren church will meet next Thursday night in the church parlors to elect officers.

The Y. P. C. E. Society of the United Brethren church met last night and elected the following officers:

President—C. P. Knost.
Vice-President—J. R. Day.
Secretary—Miss Edith Knost.
Treasurer—Fred Wheeler.
Organist—Miss Ida Frick.
Librarian—Wilbur Brant.
Watch-Word Agent—Gus Etterling.

After the business session light refreshments were served by a committee.

Mrs. John Hotz and sister, Miss Jane Goodison, and Misses Mary and Blanch Stokley will leave next Thursday for a two weeks' outing, which will be spent in Atlantic City, Philadelphia, Washington and other Eastern cities.

In honor of his sixth birthday anniversary, a number of intimate friends of Mr. Jacob Brooker surprised him at his home in South Portsmouth, Tuesday. Mr. Brooker was in Portsmouth on business when he was called home hurriedly by a telephone message. When he reached home, to his great surprise he found the merry party waiting to extend their heartiest congratulations. A fine chicken dinner was served on the lawn in good old fashioned picnic style. The table was beautifully decorated with the choicest flowers from Mrs. Brooker's flower garden. At four o'clock Mrs. Brooker, assisted by Mrs. S. A. Zuhars and Mrs. E. C. P. O'Brien, served ice cream and cake, after which each guest departed with a bountiful supply of the birthday cake, and wishing Mr. Brooker many happy returns of the day. Those who were present were as follows: Mesdames Jacob Brooker, Emma Brooker, Nannie Brooker, Rose Brooker, Laura Cooper, Claire Rollands, Maud O'Brien, Nettie Cooper, Robert Shields, Mary Misel, Lillie Brown, C. E. Noel, Anna Stockham, Dora Jones, Catherine Hanners, A. C. Sanders, S. A. Zuhars, Misses Vera, Nellie and Ranie Miller, Kate, Mary and Garnet Cooper, Ruth and Christine Brooker, Bertha Williams, Odessa Zuhars, Florence Harrison, Messrs. Jacob and Walter Brooker, Jacob Raymond Brooker, John Arnold Brooker, Newton and Gordon Sanders, Clyde Stockham, Charles Cooper. The out-of-town guests were Edna Mae and Harry Williams from Russell, Ky., grand-daughter and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Brooker.

The Joseph Spencer Chapter of the D. A. R.'s will hold a business meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Anna Randall Ross on Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moulton, the Misses Alice Dever, Marjorie and Persis Pursell, Leona Labold and Edna Marting picnicked at the Golf Club this evening.

Misses Clara and Edith Burke's guest, Miss Olive Simms, will return to her home in Dayton Sunday.

Mrs. Hayden Bush will entertain the Young Ladies' Sewing Club on Friday of next week.

W. B. Skaggs, of Johns county, Ky., will preach at the Star Brick Yard school house on Sunday, August 13th.

Mrs. Martin Cook and son, Anderson and niece, Miss Mary Disterdick have gone to Powellsville to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Disterdick.

Misses Beatrice and Lillian Nave, who have been sojourning with their parents at Lakeside, have gone to Cincinnati for a visit and will remain there during Mr. and Mrs. Nave's stay at Battlecreek, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ackley and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arthurs are picnicking at Millbrook park this evening.

Mrs. W. E. Leonard and two children, of Dayton, are the guests of Mrs. W. O. Feurt, of the Chillicothe pike.

Misses Pauline and Edna Arthurs of Vinton avenue are coming home tonight from a three weeks' visit in Jackson with their grandparents.

Misses Marie and Bess Pixley have returned from a two weeks' outing at Glen Springs, Ky.

Miss Elizabeth Pfau arrived home today from a delightful two months' visit in Los Angeles, Cal.

Messrs. Branch and Eph. Rickey are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orla Rickey of East Fourth street. Mr. Orla Rickey and Mr. Eph. Rickey will leave tonight for St. Louis, Mo., to get their line of samples for the Hamilton Brown Shoe Co., preparatory to starting out on their Fall trip.

Mr. Watson Goddard returned Friday from Wellston, where he was called by the serious illness of his sisters, Mrs. Earl Bardin and Mrs. Dr. Scott, who were both resting easier Friday, and Mrs. Bardin being entirely out of danger. Mr. Earl Bardin will remain in Wellston over Sunday.

Mrs. W. Meek and son Walter, of San Diego, Texas, who are visiting relatives in Wheelersburg, came down today for a visit with Miss Ida Herms.

Messrs. Bob Gilliland and Harry Williams went down to Glen Springs, Ky., today to enjoy the pleasures of this popular resort for several days.

Mrs. Albert Herms and children have returned from a ten days' visit in Charleston and St. Albans, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schless and family, of West Ninth street, are anticipating a delightful outing next week, when they will take the [illegible] cottage at Camp Riverside for two weeks.

Miss Margaret Wilkins is spending a few days with Miss Gurney [illegible] of the Chillicothe Pike.

[illegible] Pelan, Miss Addie Morrell, of Las Vegas, N. M., and [illegible] Norman and Walter [illegible] Friday.

Mrs. W. [illegible] entertained at [illegible] Miss [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] of Pittsburg, Pa.

[illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Borders and daughter Ganelle, Miss Davenport and Mrs. Smith came down in their auto from Catlettsburg, Ky., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ful of East Eighth street.

Mrs. John Brushart is suffering with a badly sprained left arm, the result of a fall a few days ago. Mrs. Brushart fell down several steps, and in attempting to break her fall sprained her arm.

Mrs. William Nichols, of Robinson avenue, left Saturday for Cincinnati, where she will visit her son, Charles.

William S. Meyer and two young daughters returned to Columbus Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Emma Mentzel, of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived here Friday for a visit at the home of her grandfather, A. Brunner, of Seventh and Court streets.

Mesdames Flegen and Frigley, of Newport, Ky., are visiting William King and family of West Third street.

Miss Mathews, the [illegible] daughter of H. W. Mathews, left Friday for Kentucky, where she will be the guest of relatives for a few days.

The Trinity Ruthies of Friday had their social hour of local interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McKeown had as guests at dinner Thursday evening at six o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warwick of Washington, D. C., and Miss Newman.

Misses Katherine and Grace Barker entertained the Sewing Club of which they are members this afternoon. Dainty [illegible] refreshments were served to Misses Winnifred Fisher of Norwood, Mary Watkins of Portsmouth, Anna Miller, Florence Warner, Hazel and Genevieve Williams, Christine Steele, of Wheeling, W. Va., and Margaret Davis.

Mrs. Lillian Rea and children, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Dais, of Wheelersburg, have returned home and will leave again Saturday for Delaware, O., to visit Mrs. Duvendeck and other friends.

Miss Mildred Williams, of Portsmouth, who has been spending a week with her cousin, Miss Margaret Livingston, went to Russell this morning to visit her uncle and aunt, George Patterson and Mrs. Henry Williams and their families.

Mrs. John Lutz, of East Fifth street, entertained at dinner Friday evening Mrs. Will Daehler and daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. G. Boezinger of Columbus.

Mrs. S. G. Garvin, of Courtland, N. Y., came Friday for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Wamser, of East Third street.

Mrs. J. M. Graham, of Washington street, arrived home Friday evening from a few days' visit in Connellsville.

Mrs. Emma Noffer's guest, Miss Pearl Revare, left today for Louisville, Ky. Mrs. R. S. Wynn, who is also a guest at the Noffer home, will leave Sunday morning for a visit with friends in Boston.

Mrs. W. S. Walker, of New Fifth street, went out to Sciotoville Springs this morning, called there by the serious illness of a relative.

Mrs. Lyden Locke and daughters, Elizabeth and Catherine, left this morning for a two weeks' visit in Marlan, Michigan.

Miss Lorena Sikes, of St. Mary's, O., arrived Friday for a visit with her uncle, Mr. Robert Janesky, Messrs. John and Frank Dever, Robert Dever, Edward Sikes and her aunt, Miss Clementine Sikes. Before returning home Miss Sikes will go to Harrisonville for a visit with her grandfather, Mr. John Dever. Miss Sikes was graduated with highest honors from St. Mary's convent in June.

Miss Mamie Kelley went up to Columbus today for a few days' visit with Mrs. E. H. H. [illegible].

Mrs. C. H. Wells, of Ashland, Ky., is coming the first of the week to visit Mrs. John Nelson and the Misses Jeffers of West Sixth street.

Misses Dole and Ruth Jeffers will leave the latter part of next week for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Lexington, Ky.

Mrs. J. T. Becker and Mrs. J. M. Graham will leave the first of the week for Lexington to attend the [illegible].

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Appel and son Ralph will arrive home Monday from a week's visit with Mr. Theo. Appel of Cliford.

Centerpiece or Plate Dolly

This pattern in Wallachian embroidery will do for a small centerpiece, or a plate doily. The scallops should be padded, and then closely button-holed. The leaves and flowers are done in the Wallachian stitch, which consists of a close buttonhole stitch, starting in the center of the figure and bringing the purled edge to the outside. The stems are worked in the outline stitch. Mercerized cotton No. 18 should be used.

SARAH HALE HUNTER

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING.

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

Mr. Morris Veazy returned to his home on Pond Run today, after a week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Charles Bennett, of East Twelfth street.

William Adams is enjoying a week at Adams County Mineral Springs.

Judge and Mrs. T. C. Beatty will spend Sunday in Delaware.

Mrs. Ada L. Parlan and daughter, Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Dodge and daughters, Misses Alice and Louise Dodge, of Los Angeles, Cal., spent Friday with friends in Harrisonville.

Mrs. Levi D. York left today for Manitou, Colorado, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Finis P. Ernest. She will be joined by Mr. York about the first of September, and together they will go to California.

Mrs. Frank Hardgrove, of Franklin avenue, will return home the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Roanoke, Va.

Miss Mamie Cagney, of Newark, is the guest of Miss Irene Raey, of Offnere street.

Miss Annie Cramer, of East Fourth street, who is in Chicago taking a course in music, is expected home in a day after an absence of three months.

Mrs. Albert Brinerhill and son, Roy, of Wapakoneta, is here on an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Monroe, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Micklethwait and Mrs. C. F. Frowine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Dodge and daughters, Miss Alice and Miss Louise, will spend Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Anderson and family.

TOPICS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

A SHORT while ago a woman who was staying in a country house was looking at one of the current magazines when the daughter of her hostess, little girls of eleven and thirteen, came to her side and stood looking over her shoulder. The little girls burst into raptures over every picture of a dog or horse, but it was plain that as yet the human face and figure possessed no beauty according to their ideas. They were not interested in them in the least.

Lack of Fascination.

Brought up as votaries of Diana, they had never asked themselves if they personally were pretty, and would have scorned to do so. Their description of sentiment was "tommy-rot," and any attempt to fascinate either sex they called "humbug." This was due to their training in the so-called healthy atmosphere of an American home, very different to the atmosphere which renders the little Parisienne a coquette almost from her cradle.

Nevertheless, when the American girl "comes out" she is expected to change her outlook on life immediately and to become an attractive young lady as well as a tomboy. Her talents in this direction have hitherto been neglected and suppressed, and it is a fact that some girls have little consciousness of sex, show little inclination of charming either men or women, or even of dressing becomingly, until they are well on in their twenties.

The Modern War

Slowly it dawns upon them [illegible] missing something [illegible] exactly what they do not know. They have never learned how to talk, and [illegible] themselves at a loss when called upon to [illegible]. Men are not attracted by them, and no wonder [illegible] they find [illegible] and are such novices at the game that they cannot even achieve [illegible] friendship. [illegible] are girls of their own age. [illegible] evolution of the [illegible] into the [illegible] [illegible] almost tragic. [illegible] between the English methods which we Americans emulate in the bringing up of our children and the French way, something that will save a girl from learning by painful experience that she must be charming and lovable if she is to be happy.

A [illegible] who entertains a good deal in the country asserts that the problem of amusement so far as the masculine element of a house party is concerned is one of the [illegible]. You have only to announce at the breakfast table that there is a [illegible] in the garage with [illegible] arrangements [illegible] and [illegible] will disappear for the rest of the day, and will only reluctantly emerge [illegible] be greeted [illegible] necessary [illegible]. There is no doubt that the modern young man has a passion for machinery. The most beautiful eyes in the world cannot compete with a dismantled carburetor, and a [illegible] which [illegible] is of more interest to him than the most complex feminine character. The youth of to-day [illegible] his [illegible] whole intelligence [illegible] the aeroplane [illegible] a ship type of automobile [illegible] [illegible] philosophy [illegible] science and mechanics [illegible] we shall have fewer [illegible] in the near future, and more wonderful and beautiful machines. The new [illegible] mechanism amply satisfies the [illegible] mind, [illegible] leaves the women [illegible] in the cold. The enterprising modern girl will doubtless take to practical science [illegible] her brother.

CAMP COOKERY.

THE uninitiated in that interesting branch of the culinary art, camp cookery, will ask: "What can be cooked out of doors by the wayside—in the wilderness—where there appears little or nothing to be obtained as food, and a small chance of preparing what there is obtainable?"

We shall see. But, first of all, we will presume that a handy woman or man is going to solve the problem. And, secondly, a few remarks upon equipment will be found helpful.

In camp equipment, as far as the culinary part is concerned, the great point is to choose the most portable and simple utensils it is possible to obtain. For instance, a frying pan plays a large part in the camp kitchen.

A very ingenious arrangement is the "hay box," which consists of a well made wooden box, about eighteen inches square, with a well fitting lid. The box is lined with baize of felt and filled with hay.

The article to be cooked is first cooked over the fire for five minutes, then turned into a hot [illegible] jar which has a [illegible] lid. This is then buried in the hay, after which the box is firmly strapped down.

In one to two hours' time the food will be cooked and can be served piping hot—boiling hot. Could anything be simpler than this? The joy of the whole thing is that the dinner can be left safely in the hay box while the campers go on their excursions, and when on the move the box can be used for packing things in.

Much can be done with the frying pan only when rightly used—but much more can be done with a saucepan and several other things over the open camp fire or an oil stove. There is a stove manufactured for camp purposes at least, it is largely used for these, which is worked by a small quantity of air forced into a kind of oil gas. The box of the stove is kept half filled with oil and is absolutely safe to carry about. Altogether a very excellent and clean arrangement.

A delightful dish of fish can be made by cutting the fish into small pieces, letting it in the frying pan with a piece of onion, herbs, a dash of wine or vinegar and a little water, and a squeeze of lemon juice or vinegar. Placing a plate over the pan and cooking the fish slowly for ten or fifteen minutes. Nothing could be more appetizing.

One factor that makes for success in camp cookery is knowing how best to use the materials at hand. Young nettle tops will, when boiled in plenty of water, thoroughly strained and chopped with pepper and salt, make an excellent substitute for spinach.

In the Sewing Room.

To do good sewing requires good materials, or working implements. Necessary implements include shears, needles, thimble, thread, pins, tape measure, emery and beeswax.

Scissors with long sharp blades are best. For ripping scissors [illegible] the ground down, a medium length needle is recommended.

The [illegible] and is considered excellent for basting.

A bent or blunt needle can spoil an entire seam, making it crooked and causing [illegible].

Much of the difficulty experienced by [illegible] can be traced to the use of the coarse needle, a fault resulting in uneven sewing no matter how much care is put into the stitches.

Visited Mother.

Will Stevens has returned from a visit to his mother at Garrison, Ky.

HERE IS A SMART OUTFIT FOR THE ATHLETIC GIRL.

DESPITE all reports to the contrary, golf is still just as popular as it ever was, and the golf girl is as much in evidence as when she began to play the game.

The costume pictured is particularly attractive. White linen is used for the skirt, while the blouse is of white silk, cool, but guaranteed to prevent sunburn—a consideration the athletic girl does not overlook.

TENNIS becomes more and more popular with every season. The girl who does not play this strenuous game is indeed "out of it" in the summer for everywhere one goes one sees tennis in progress. A correct and comfortable costume must be worn, however brilliantly or badly one plays. One which meets all requirements is pictured.

FROM JOHN WANAMAKER. PHOTO BY JOEL FEDER.

FROM FRANKLIN SIMON & CO PHOTO BY JOEL FEDER

THE athletic girl has a smart and appropriate get-up for every sport in which she takes part. The accompanying picture illustrates correct riding togs. Smart and conventional perfection should characterize such a costume, and the one illustrated meets all these requirements. The coat is of heavy tan linen crash, cut in loose, severe lines and falling to a little below the knee. With it are worn riding breeches of linen, leather puttees and a severe sailor hat.

FROM FRANKLIN SIMON & CO PHOTO BY JOEL FEDER

Best Method Ever Devised.

Talk about the tax payers, the rents demanded in towns and cities where Building and Loan Associations are not prominent factors, the rents are outrageous. The rent payers put up the stuff and are the real back-bone of the town. The town or city needs Building and Loan Associations. Wherever these associations have been established the communities have been enriched. It is the best method of saving money ever devised. It is the co-operative home builder. Keep in mind The Portsmouth Savings and Loan Company, Opera House Block. We pay 5 per cent. on deposits compounded semi-annually.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Ihrig and two children, Catherine and Margaret, of 1817 Offnere street, are visiting his parents, G. A. Ihrig, at Lexington, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Worsham, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Delaney, of 1801 Offnere street. They will return home the first of the week.

Miss Lenora Slattery, of 1821 Oakland avenue, has just returned from a pleasant visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Slattery, of Harrisonville.

Mrs. C. D. Slaglie, of Centerville, will arrive the first of the week to be the guest of relatives and friends here for the next three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mills are moving from Richmond, Va., to 1835 Offnere street, where they are handsomely located. Mr. Mills is employed at the terminals.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Camarena, of 1718 Oakland avenue, will have their little daughter christened Sunday in the St. Mary's church. The little girl will be christened Marie. A number of friends from a distance will be present at the services.

Mrs. J. C. Stewart, of 1117 Monroe street, entertained with an open air concert Friday evening in honor of her brother, Mr. John Rice, of Russell, Ky. Those present were Misses Ruth, Nettie and Minnie S[illegible], Hazel Puckett, Mildred [illegible], Helen Cooper and Ruth [illegible], Mr. Willie Graves, Robert Shoemaker and Johnnie Rice; [illegible] Mrs. Shoemaker, Miss [illegible] Rosie and Ada Stewart, [illegible] May Simpson, Mrs. Schwab, [illegible]. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Reading, [illegible] dialogues and music [illegible] features of the evening.

Mrs. L. C. Kifer, Miss Mabel [illegible] Russell, Ky., and Miss [illegible] Maynard, of Catlettsburg, [illegible] the pleasant guests of [illegible] Stewart and sister, Miss [illegible] Rice, of Monroe street.

[illegible] Rice, of Russell, Ky., is visiting [illegible] sister, Mrs. J. S. Stewart, [illegible] street.

[illegible] F. S. Stephenson, who was [illegible] by the death of [illegible] William A. Stephenson, [illegible] home this week.

[illegible] Roberta and Katherine [illegible] of Columbus, will arrive Sunday to be the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houck, of Offnere street.

Mr. Carl Houchins will entertain this evening with a stag party at his home on East Eleventh street. A delectable repast will be served by a caterer from the Manhattan. Mr. Houchins' guests will include, Messrs. Frank Jordon, Leslie White, Norman Baker, Vernon Searcy, Maurice Briggs, Maurice Davidson, Ben and Loren Hitchcock, Hugh Tremper, Frank Ferguson, Clay Atkinson, Carmel and Clarence Jaynes, Cornell and David Creekbaum, Guy Moore, Jas. Lynn, Floyd and Chas. Samson, Theron Matthews, Howard Fowler, Pat Carey, Robt. Padan, Russell McCurdy, Carl Glass, Gilbert Kendall, Henry Rohl, Geo. Corson, Wm. Drugan and Robt Connell.

Cards from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cramer, of New Fifth street, tell of their delightful trip through Canada, having reached Quebec, where they will visit with Mrs. Cramer's sister, Mrs. F. A. Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Storer left today for a week's visit in Cincinnati with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Baker and children, and Mrs. Jacobs' father, Mr. J. B. Sexton, will leave next week for a visit in Vanceburg, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dacisler, of Lincoln Hill, left this morning for a three weeks' stay in Mackinac and other points in Michigan.

Mrs. Bruce Plummer and little son William will leave next Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Clarksburg, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sprecher and daughter Marjorie will leave Monday for a week's stay on the Kenyon farm near Buena Vista.

Miss Mamie Cayney, of Newark, is the guest of Miss Lenora Schrader and other friends here.

Mrs. Jesse Rickey, of Stockdale, was the guest Friday of her aunt, Mrs. Miller Slattery, of 1821 Oakland avenue.

Mrs. Pearl Buffington, of Jefferson street, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. E. R. Wood and two children, William and Thomas Eugene, of 1709 Oakland avenue, are the guests of Mrs. Rachael Miller, at Huntington, Pa., where they will remain until October.

Mrs. M. A. Rose of Indianapolis, will arrive soon to be the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Rose, of 1719 Oakland avenue.

Mrs. Harvey Farmer and granddaughter, Miss Leona Browning, of Hanging Rock, who have been the guests of relatives here, will leave Sunday for Newport, Ky., to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alzona West and children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber and children, of Oakland avenue, will spend Sunday fishing and picnicking at Turkey Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stratton, of Buchtel, Ohio, will arrive today to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Distel, of Broadway, for one week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cunningham and daughter, Violet, and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Davis drove to Wheelersburg this evening and dined at the Baker House.

Master Geo. Schorer, of Hyde Park, is the guest of his aunt, Miss Clara Mills.

The following notes from Arion contain reference to many well-known Portsmouth people:

Mr. Henry Brodbeck and Miss Goldie Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lorenz, of Cleveland, are expected here next week for a visit at the Three Oaks cottage.

The Waller party is enjoying an outing at the John Wendelken cottage. Those in it are Mrs. Geo. A. Waller and daughters, Laura, Dorothy, Mary and Helen, of New Boston; Karl Cantrell, of Memphis, Tenn., and Fred Hasselman.

Tommy Adams, the popular mail carrier, and family are spending this week at one of Henry Wendelken's cottages. Those enjoying the outing with them are Misses Amelia and Sadie Bittner, Lora White, Katherine Wrightman, Lucile Molster, Esther Moritz, Mabel and Ethel Moritz.

Rev. Mr. Bauman and family, with Misses Grace Worley, Sadie Wendelken, Nell Veach, of Durant, Oklahoma, Mrs. Thos. Routh, of Seneca, Kas., and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm are occupying the Wendelken cottage for a few days.

The Frowine-Strauss gang at the Brandel cottage are as follows: Si Straus, Izy Goodman, Ben Frowine, Ed Aultman, Chas. McCormick, Mrs. Si Straus, Mrs. Henry Frowine, Howard Frowine, Misses Marguerite McMahon and Mary Fenton and Dr. and Mrs. G. N. Martin and daughter.

At the hotel this week are Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spencer and daughter, Mary Jane, Miss Anna Eckerle, of Cincinnati, and Miss Mildred Prichard.

The following jolly crowd is spending this week at Three Oaks Cottage: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Blomeyer and daughter Mildred of Cleveland, Dollie Blomeyer, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Berndt and children, Dorothy and Louis, Mrs. Chas. Locher and daughters, Nellie, Ora, Alberta, and son, Dr. Roy Locher of Baltimore, Mrs. Jenkins and daughters, Marjorie and Erma, Messrs. Edmund and Karl Reinmenschneider and two college chums, Messrs. G. A. Burridge and Walter Caine, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Streich of Cleveland.

Mrs. Libbie Rockwell is very ill at her home on New Fifth street.

Miss Minnie Leary, of Ironton, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Yorke, of Offnere street.

Mrs. John Lewis, of West Fourth street, left Friday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Cincinnati and Covington, Ky.

The East Portsmouth W. C. T. U. met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Leichner, on Twelfth street, and elected the following delegates to the county convention to be held here one day the latter part of August: Mesdames Al Leichner, J. W. Atkinson, J. A. Chabot, Philip Pfarr and Floyd Lawson. The alternates are Mesdames J. W. Jordon, M. W. Brown, C. Bennett, Ida Monroe and Alice Riddlebarger.

Mrs. Walter Marting, of Ironton, was the guest of relatives in this city Friday.

Miss Edith Staten will go to Ironton next week for visit with Mrs. Walter Marting.

Little Miss Mena Schaskey has gone to Waverly for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rickey, of Harrisonville, will spend Sunday with Mrs. Rickey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Staten, of East Ninth street.

Miss Page Lewis expects to leave the latter part of August for a month's visit in Chicago.

Ceola Reynolds is leaving tomorrow for Buckeye Lake where she will visit a crowd of friends for a couple of weeks at a house party there.

SISTER DIED IN WELLSTON ON SATURDAY

A telegram was received here Saturday morning telling of the death at Wellston of Mrs. Mary Edinger, a sister of Jos. Frantz, of the public service department of this city.

Mrs. Edinger had been ill for a year with lung trouble and her death was not unexpected, Mr. Frantz visiting her only two weeks ago, when her condition was extremely critical.

Mrs. Edinger was 53 years of age and the wife of Michael Edinger, a retired miner. She leaves four sons and three daughters and one of the former, Leonard, is also at the point of death with tubercular trouble. Brothers and sisters surviving are: Joseph and Philip Frantz, Mrs. Fannie Bartuss and Miss Kate Frantz, housekeeper at the St. Mary's parsonage, this city, and Sister M. Silbarin, a Franciscan nun of Rochester, Minn. Burial will take place at Wellston Monday.

Mr. Waite In Iowa

The West Liberty Index, published at West Liberty, Iowa, in its issue of Thursday, August 10, said:

"G. D. Waite, of Portsmouth, Ohio, a comrade of Captain J. W. McElravy in the Thirtieth Ohio regiment, O. V. I., during the Civil war, spent last Thursday at the McElravy home, the occasion being one of interesting reminiscence for the two. Mr. Waite came to West Liberty from Muscatine, where he had been the guest of Lee McColm, another veteran of the Ohio regiment."

Purchased A Cottage

John T. Walters Saturday purchased a five-room cottage on Oakland avenue, which he will occupy at once. He is employed as a cutter in the Selby factory. The deal was engineered by Merle Duduit.

NOTICE!

Let this little add be a reminder and a money saving to [illegible] A dollar will buy more at the

Miller's Dry Goods Store

than anywhere else in the city.

615-617 Chillicothe Street. Phone 244

Sunday Services

Sermons And Services at the Various Churches.

MANLY METHODIST CHURCH.
Rev. J. W. Atkinson—Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45, Philip Pfarr, Supt. Sermon by the pastor at 10. Weekly devotional meeting 6:45 by Miss Letta Adams at 6:45. Six days among the wonders of Yellowstone Park by the pastor at 7:30. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Jasper Foor, leader. The pastor will speak to the primary department of the Sunday school and show beautiful pictures of Yellowstone Park.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Gallia and Offnere Streets.
W. C. Hartinger—Pastor.

9 a. m., Sunday school, W. H. Anderson, Supt. 10:30 a. m. the pastor will be home from his vacation and will preach. 6:30 p. m. Epworth League. 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor. Everybody is welcome at Trinity—A Home-Like Church.

GERMAN METHODIST.
Cor. Fourth and Washington Streets.
F. J. Bauman—Pastor.

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. Morning service at 10. Epworth League at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:00, topic "Thou Shalt Not Steal." Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. All these services conducted in English.

BIGELOW METHODIST EPISCOPAL
James N. Eason—Pastor.

9 a. m., Sabbath school, E. H. Clare, Supt. 10:30, morning worship, sermon by Rev. C. L. Jackson of Germantown, Pa. Epworth League and class meeting at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor, theme "Jesus and the Maniac." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 8:45, Chas. Brehmer, Supt. Divine services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by J. B. Reid. C. E. meeting at 6 p. m. On Monday evening the congregation will meet to elect a pastor. All members will please be present. The public cordially invited to attend all the Sunday services.

NEW BOSTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Sermon at 7 p. m.

UNITED BRETHREN
Corner Seventh and Gay
W. E. Howard—Pastor.

Our wide awake Sunday schools begins promptly at 9 a. m. and if you want all that is in store for you at this live school you will have to be on time. Our preaching services are but an hour long and we have plenty of fans so that you can keep cool. Preaching in the morning and evening by the pastor. Subject at 10:30 "Christ One Entire Dependance." Subject at 7 p. m. "The Story of Moses." Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:15. The Fidelity Society will hold its regular session Wednesday at 7:30 and will elect its officers. All should be present as a great time is in store for all. Now let us make this a good day.

R. R. Y. M. C. A.

Meeting for men at 1:15 p. m. Address by Rev. F. J. Bauman of German M. E. church. A half hour service of song. Solos by Miss Bertha Stuger. All men invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Gallia and Waller.
T. H. McAfee—Pastor.

Sunday school at 9, D. Miller, Supt. Miss Jenkins, field secretary of the Woman Baptist Home Missionary Society will be present at this service and deliver an address. Miss Jenkins is an excellent talker fully acquainted with the work and will be helpful to all to hear her message. The pastor will deliver the 10th sermon on the Second Coming of Jesus. All are welcome. Please deposit all questions on the plate. Preaching on West Side at 2:30 p. m.

KENDALL AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH
F. A. Maier—Pastor.

Miss Jenkins of Philadelphia, a representative of the Missionary Society will be with us during the Sunday school hour and will deliver an interesting message. Don't fail to hear her. The evening service at 7:15, theme "What Makes Prodigals." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Cottage meeting Friday evening.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHRISTIAN.
A. H. Anthony—Pastor.

Bible school at 9 a. m., John Bridwell, Supt. It's hot weather but stand up to the work. Be loyal to your church and the Master. Men's class at 9:15 in basement, taught by the pastor. Preaching and Lord's Supper at 10:30. Evening worship at 7:30 by the pastor. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Choir meets Friday at 7:30 p. m.

1ST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
No. 20 East Second Street.

Sunday services at 10:30 a. m., subject "Soul." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m. Free reading room open to public daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. All are welcome at these services.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION.
No. 1116 Clay street.

Class meets Sunday at 2:30 p. m. for the usual Berean lesson. In the evening at 7 o'clock the next lesson in the series of "The Lite of the Seed" will be taken up. All those interested in bible study are invited to attend and receive the benefit of this series of studies. On Thursday at 7 p. m. the regular bible study will be held.

SALVATION ARMY
917 Findlay Street.
Ensign and Mrs. B. L. Phillipson—Officers in Charge.

9 a. m., Knee drill. 1:30 p. m., Sunday school. 8 p. m. Battle for Souls open air about the same as usual in the morning. Services will be held every night but Monday and Wednesday at 8 o'clock. The public is welcome.

ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E.
Rev. Day—Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 sharp, and we hope that every member of the Sunday school will be present, and hear the report of the delegates who attended the Sunday school convention. Preaching at 10:30, theme "A Soldier of Jesus Christ." Services at night at 7:30. At this service the pastor will lecture on his northern trip. The Wednesday evening prayer meetings will be continued, after prayer meeting the Sunday school board, the Missionary board and the trustee, stewart, stewartists and all other boards will meet in joint session.

PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST.
Corner 10th and Tindley Sts.
Rev. G. W. Wright—Pastor.

Preaching in morning at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Ladies' Progressive club of Pleasant Green Baptist church will give a grand barbecue and picnic on Labor Day at the corner of Sixteenth and Union streets. Meat will be barbecued in old style, right on the grounds. Dinner served with barbecued meats for 25 cents. Everybody invited. Mrs. G. W. Wright, Pres.; Miss Josephine Patton, Sec.

LECTURED FOR CONTEMPT

Sam Row, West Side man, who failed to answer to a summons of the probate court in the hearing of his step-daughter, Leona Swords, who a sister complained of as being a neglected child, was picked up by Sheriff Eckhart when he came to town Saturday to answer to a charge of contempt.

Row was taken before Judge Beatty who after giving him a severe reprimand in regard to his conduct was allowed to go.

BRING SUIT ON ACCOUNT

August Steinkamp vs. Carl N. Hansen was the style of a civil action instituted in common pleas court Saturday whereby the plaintiff seeks to recover of the defendant the sum of $134.54 alleged to be due for goods purchased by Mr. Hansen while a member of the firm of A. Steinkamp & Co. and which were charged to the firm. It is claimed these goods were not ordered for the furniture business but for the sole benefit of the defendant.

The suit is an echo of the old trouble between the parties which resulted in Hansen leaving the firm.

The plaintiff is represented by Atty. Frank W. Moulton.

Club to Keep Open House

The Alhambra club will keep open house tonight and Sunday at their camp above Sciotoville. They will entertain all the campers at Camp Riverside. The chicken dinner Sunday is to be an elegant affair with all the trimmings.

Branch Is Doing Fine

Will Baker, who has charge of the plumbing shop just recently opened in Maysville by the Sanders-Watrous company of this city is here to spend a few days at his firm's local shop. The Maysville branch is doing a big business as that city just recently received natural gas.

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The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in Plain English, or Medicine Simplified, by R. V. Pierce, M. D., Chief Consulting Physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, a book of 1008 large pages and over 700 illustrations, in strong paper covers, to any one sending 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, or, in French Cloth binding for 31 stamps. Over 680,000 copies of this complete Family Doctor Book were sold in cloth binding at regular price of $1.50. Afterwards, one and a half million copies were given away as above. A new, up-to-date revised edition is now ready for mailing. Better send NOW, before all are gone. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, R. V. Pierce, M. D., President, Buffalo, N. Y.

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THE ONE REMEDY for women which contains no alcohol and no habit-forming drugs. Made from native medicinal forest roots of well established curative value.

LITTLE NEWMAN ALGER IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Only two weeks ago Newman S. Alger, the bright and attractive eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Alger, of Huntington, was enjoying sightseeing in Washington, and today the little fellow is lying in the cold lap of death. Both Mr. and Mrs. Alger are former Portsmouth residents, Mrs. Alger being Miss Kate Newman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Newman.

The news of the death of the child was received here with intense sorrow, but it was not unexpected. A message came to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Newman just a week ago today stating that the little fellow was dying, and noted physicians had said there was no hope for him.

The remains will be interred in Huntington some time Monday morning, but at the present time no definite arrangements have been made for the funeral.

Newman Alger was eight years of age the 23rd day of July. He celebrated his birthday at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shaw where with his mother and baby sister, Clay, they have been visiting for a week or more.

The family was preparing to come to Portsmouth on a short visit when Newman was taken ill and grew rapidly worse. Specialists from Washington and Baltimore attended him but tubercular meningitis had developed and all hopes of saving the little life were abandoned after a short time.

Last Monday the child was taken to his home in Huntington, where he has been growing worse hour after hour until death came Saturday morning at 20 minutes to twelve.

The child was an unusually bright boy but had not been in the best of health since an attack of the measles and a slight attack of pneumonia last winter. He is survived by a grief stricken mother and father and baby sister, Clay, six years of age.

Selby Co. Men On Vacation

Quite a number of the employes of the Selby Shoe Company are enjoying vacations and from the reports received at the office they are having a fine time.

Walter Lust, one of the Selby's oldest and reliable cutters, has returned from an enforced vacation of eight weeks, because of ill health. Mr. Lust spent the time in visiting at Philadelphia, Harrisonburg, Baltimore, New York, Boston and other points. He reports having had a delightful time and returns much improved in health.

Frank Schropp, Frank and Carl Keller and George Funk began a four weeks vacation today. They will spend the entire time at their fishing camp near Wheelersburg.

The boys in the cutting room at the factory are looking forward to several shipments of fresh Ohio river cat fish from the Wheelersburg camp while the above quartet is in action.

Lesky Jenetzky, a clerk in the Selby cutting room is expected home from his vacation today after two weeks spent at St. Marys, and other northern towns. On his return to work Monday Miss Ethel Andre, another clerk in the same office, will begin a two weeks' vacation which will be spent at the home of her parents at Lyra, O.

Simon Wants His Tools

Simon Spriggs, a veteran blacksmith, appealed to the police Saturday to aid him in recovering his tools held at the Hubert shop on North Gay street, because he had gotten delinquent with his payments.

Geo. Daniels In the City

George Daniels has returned from the bedside of his brother, Charles Daniels, at Protestant hospital in Columbus, where he is receiving treatment for an abscess of the ear. George will not return to St. Louis, but expects to locate either in Columbus or somewhere in the East. He is still following paper hanging for an occupation

Special Tonight

White Underskirts Worth $2.00 For

$1.09

The Atlas Trading Co.

CHILLICOTHE STREET

HARVESTER TRUST DENIES IT IS BAD

Washington, Aug. 12--That the arguments and conclusions of the so-called Townsend report are based upon clearly erroneous statements of well known facts is the opening assertion in a reply by Edgar Bancroft, counsel for the Inter-National Harvester Co., filed today with the house steel trust investigating committee in answer to charges made by Burdette G. Townsend, special agent of the department of justice in 1908. The Townsend report was filed with the committee a short time ago.

The statement of the Townsend report that of the nine different types of grain binders purchased by the Inter-National all but three have been abandoned and that repairs are not furnished for any others is branded by Attorney Bancroft as "notoriously and absolutely false." He further says that "repairs for every type then (at the time of the report were and have ever since been furnished by the Inter-National when and wherever called for."

"The report's charge of a 'binder twine trust' is without any foundation whatsoever," declares the reply, which also states that the Inter-National has had the vigorous competition of one large and six smaller twine manufacturers in addition to seven state penitentiary twine mills.

As to the charge of increasing prices the Inter-National asserts that instead of increasing them its influence has been to prevent increases; that the self binder sells at a very low price, relatively lower than that of any other farm implement or machine; that the selling prices are freely fixed by the dealers and that the terms of credit, the facilities furnished and expert service are more liberal than ever before; that although the price of raw material has increased more than 30 per cent its prices were not increased until 1908, and then only 7 per cent; and that for 1912, a reduction of five per cent was announced last month.

On the subject of foreign prices, "the Inter-National denies that perrenial falsehood that agricultural implements are sold abroad cheaper than at home." and declares that the government's own investigation published in the Daily Consular and trade reports of February, March and April, 1909, shows that the prices for the six foot binder, which is sold in America for $125 are as follows: France $173.70; Germany $203; Denmark $167.50; South Russia $168.95; Great Britain $135.16, and that "the net prices received by the American manufacturer are greater on the machines sold abroad than at home."

Finally, the Inter-National denies that "any plants purchased by it were closed or abandoned, but states that all the plants were enlarged, improved and have employed more men than ever before; that several of the properties purchased were bankrupt and practically out of trade." It declares that "outside of the harvester lines, it has not more than forty per cent of the trade in any line and that in most of them it has less than 25 per cent."

OBITUARY

Matthew Hall

Matthew Hall, born in Germany in 1830 and for 49 years a resident of Ironton, is dead. Mr. Hill was a carpenter. He married Miss Gertrude Brunner, whom he met on the ship coming over to this country. They had eight children, all boys: Frank, Henry, Charley and Andrew of St. Louis; John, who cannot be located, and Dr. Joseph Hall, of Cincinnati.

Hardin Courtney.

Hardin Courtney, a life-long resident of Scioto ville, passed peacefully away at an early hour Saturday morning. He had been ill three months with complications, but his condition was not regarded as serious until a few days ago.

Mr. Courtney was a brickmason and was a splendid citizen. He leaves in addition to his faithful wife, Mrs. Emma Courtney, two sons and five daughters: Charles and Frank, Mrs. Virgie Cook, Mrs. Nellie Carmichael, Mrs. Anna Thompson and two daughters in California.

Mr. Courtney was born at Scioto Furnace, and had he lived until next December would have been 72 years old. He was a veteran of the Civil war, having served with distinction in the war of '61-'65. He was a brother of the late Ross Courtney, for many years a resident of Portsmouth. Mr. Courtney was an ideal home man, devoted to his wife and family, and his death will be generally mourned in Sciotoville, where he was known and loved by everybody.

Mrs. Lydia Bryant.

Mrs. Lydia Bryant, a well beloved and respected Harden township widow, died Friday night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clark Foster, near Harden.

She was 66 years of age and she had been sick but a week, her demise being attributed to an attack of heart trouble and a complication.

Two sons, Oliver and George P., well known farmers of Dry Fork with whom she resided a greater part of the time for several years, besides a legion of friends survive to mourn her death.

Burial will be made Sunday at the Dry Fork cemetery following the service which will be held at the Foster home.

Sylvester Campbell.

Sylvester Campbell, a well known Harden township farmer living at Mt. Joy died recently at his home there following a long illness.

Mr. Campbell was about 65 years of age and lived in that vicinity practically all his life. He was a splendid citizen and his demise is generally regretted by a wide circle of acquaintances.

His wife died several years ago. Besides four children, two sons and two daughters, he leaves three brothers, John, Henry and Enos of Portsmouth and Sheridan of McDermott.

Burial was made at the Log Church cemetery, Mt. Joy.

Benj. Pertuset.

Benjamin Pertuset, aged 39, a carpenter and farmer, and brother-in-law of Squire Sol Mershon, died at his home in Lombardsville early Saturday after a year's suffering with cancer. He leaves a wife and four daughters. Burial will likely take place Monday.

Mrs. Drennan.

The remains of Mrs. Kate Clutts-Drennan, a former Portsmouth resident, who died unexpectedly at Gallipolis, will be brought to Wheelersburg and interment will take place there on Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Drennan was 47 years of age and the wife of R. M. Drennan, a railroad cross tie contractor. They have only one son, John, aged 18. Besides there survive her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clutts of Wheelersburg, and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. C. S. Stewart of Monroe, La., C. A. Clutts of Erin, Tenn., A. A. Clutts of Columbus and Miss Alice Clutts at home.

Will Hold Election

The board of trade will hold its annual election of officers and a banquet at The Club on West Fourth street in September. Many high railway officials and others will attend as guests.

BIG PAY DAY AT STEEL CO.

Saturday was pay day with the employes of the Portsmouth Steel Company. It is said that about $18,000 were distributed as the plant has been working steadily in every department. It was also pay day at the Excelsior shoe factory and the merchants should enjoy heavy patronage tonight. They are prepared for the rush.

Has The Farm.

C. W. G. Hannahs, who recently bought the Mathiott farm near Scioto ville, took possession of it Friday. Hannahs formerly represented Greenup county in the Kentucky legislature.

Rev. Brooks Home.

Rev. Crayton S. Brooks returned today from Lexington, Ky., accompanied by his wife and daughter, Lydia Ruth. They are located at the Grimes for the present.

Rev. Brooks will hold services at the First Christian church as usual, Sunday.

Condition Is Serious.

The condition of Mrs Erastus Starling of East Eighth street, who ten days ago suffered a stroke of paralysis was extremely grave Saturday. Relatives have been summoned to her bedside as the end is near.

STRIKE AT AN END; RELIEVE FAMINE

(By United Press.)

London, Eng., Aug. 12--With thousands of strikers returning to work as a result of the settlement reached last night through the officials of the board of trade steps are being taken to relieve the distress throughout the city for lack of food supplies. The situation has become acute and orders have been issued that food and ice shall be moved before any other freight. The first work on the docks was the unloading of food cargoes and it was found that 35,000 mutton carcasses had been spoiled with a loss of $200,000.

The teamsters on the Midland and Great Northern railroad struck today, claiming their union was not affected by the wholesale settlement of last night. The strike may spread to other railroads.

The terms of settlement of those unions that have returned to work give an increase of wages to the strikers, approximating $3,000,000 a year.

Sees Her Son's Head Cut Off

(By United Press)

Surfside, Mass., Aug. 12—Evading the grasp of his mother as they stood in the station waiting for a train the three year old son of Ben H. Vanell, ran away. As he turned to see if his mother was following he stumbled and fell directly in front of a fast moving electric train. He was decapitated, and his mother, who had seen his danger and rushed to save him was struck and injured so seriously that she may die.

FIGHT GUN DUEL WITH BOLD GANG

(By United Press.)

Richmond, O., Aug. 12. Officials of the Ohio & Pennsylvania Coal Co., at Yorksville today discovered men loading 500 pounds of copper wire they had stolen and opened fire on them with Winchesters. Twenty shots were fired by the officers and robbers in a gun battle.

James McPherson, of Bridgeport, and one other who refuses to give his name, were captured. McPherson who was employed by a livery firm, claims he was forced to accompany the robbers at the point of a gun. Before going to the mines the robbers visited three houses and secured more than 100 chickens besides other valuables.

BAKERY IS ROBBED

A burglar entered the Jake Pfau bakery while the family was asleep late Friday night and rifled the cash drawer of $2.90. Entrance was gained through a screen window. Police have a clue.

Located At The Grimes

The family of George R. Lockwood, the new Western Union telegraph manager, arrived from Gallipolis Saturday. They are quartered at the Grimes until the arrival of their household effects.

Mrs. Fred Schwartz, Sr. has gone to Cleveland and Sandusky for a visit to relatives and friends.

FERRYBOAT BREAKDOWN

The C. & O. ferryboat Chesapeake had a machinery breakdown Saturday noon. The boat floated down to the Capehart landing but was lated towed up to her own float. Passengers for C. & O. trains Nos. 3 and 7 were ferried across in skiffs. Repairs to the boat were completed in time for her to make the eastbound flyer No. 2 trip. The mishap gave rise to a florid report that the boat had sunk.

Mr. Dixon Resigns

Charley Dixon, who for the past three years has held the position of night superintendent at the plant of the Portsmouth Steel company, has resigned, his resignation to be effective at once.

Mr. Dixon has leased a farm in Iowa and he is going to turn to the soil. He has stored his household goods in the warerooms of the East End Furniture Company and will send for them later.

In The Shadows.

Mrs. James Barrons, who has been ill with complications for several months was seized with convulsions Friday evening, and she is hovering in the shadows. Her husband is employed by the Joseph G. Reed Company.

CONTESTS ON AT THE PLAYGROUND BENEFIT

Millbrook park is the scene of a lively bunch of youngsters and grown-ups this afternoon, who are contesting in the Athletic meet for the benefit of the Playground Association.

Th program is as follows:

One hundred yard dash, boys under twelve years of age, prize boy's Scout suit.

One hundred yard dash for men, prize $5.

One mile run, boxing gloves.

High jump standing, pair of shoes, Burt & Hall.

Broad jump, pair of shoes, Burt & Hall.

220 yard dash, $2.50.

Shot put, lamp, Hansen's.

High jump running, fountain pen, Anderson's.

Broad jump running, gold clock, Wilhelm.

Bicycle race from Portsmouth to New Boston, gold watch.

440 yard dash, mission rocker.

Shoe race, gold cuff links.

Mile run.

Sack race, stand, Horchow.

Ladits' race, silk hose.

Boys' boxing bout.

Pole vault, shaving mug.

There have been fifty entries made in the contests.

The Winners

The winners are as follows, being given in the order they finished.

100 100 yard dash for boys under 18—Tom Williams, Jos. Wolf, Alt Hoover.

100 yard dash, boys under 16—Cliff Slamm, Ellsworth Williams, Paul Bildman.

100 yard dash for men—Evan Williams, Norman Baker, Harry Royce.

Williams made the dash in 10 seconds.

Bicycle race—Walter Gims, Bob Coleman, Everet Wycoff, Arnold Anderson, James Fawler, Boynton Davenport, Harper Crueh.

Coleman finished first, Wycoff second.

The race started from Tide Davenport's bicycle shop at John and Gallia and ended at the grand stand at Millbrook.

Enroute out Wycoff and Coleman collided, Wycoff landing in the lake.

Standing High Jump.

1. Harry Royse, 4 ft. 3 in.

Shot Put—Evan Williams, 39 feet 8 12 inches. James Higgins, second, 33 ft. 6 in.

One Mile Race—

1st. Everett Drew.

2nd James Doley.

3rd Roy Leichner.

Time: 5 minutes, 30 seconds.

Sack Race—

1st. James Sawyer.

2nd. Albert Hoover.

220 Yard Dash—

1st Evan Williams.

2nd Harry Royce.

Time: 22 seconds.

Shoe Race—Ben Sawyer. Fruet Crawford, Harold Martin.

Ladies Race—Sadie Groover, Rachel Pace.

Boxing Match—Charles Pace and Clay Pace.

No decision given. Boys were presented with a purse of $5.

Springfield Leads.

Harry Welch has returned from a ten days' visit at Springfield, Mass. Harry is a brother-in-law of Eddie Swander and reports the Springfield team now leading in the Connecticut league race.

Woman Develops The Sixth Sense

MADAME ADELE MARIE RIQUE.

New York, August 12.

"One moment, please."

The interview is delayed. Mme. Adele Marie Rique, founder of the Circle of Universal Soul Freedom and president of the university for soul cultivation, mental and material elevation, pauses and listens.

"My friends are talking about me in Germany," said she. "I must know what they are saying. I have discovered and am cultivating the sixth sense. It is located in the base of the brain. Through it I can hear all the voices in the world. Only yesterday at luncheon I said to a friend. Wait, I am being discussed by a some woman I know. friends of mine. They are about to bring something to me and are wondering if they should choose purple or yellow. They decided in favor of the purple, as that was more my shade. Within an hour the friend came and offered me a beautiful purple pansy. It was all true, and soon the whole world will know how to eliminate space.

Discovers Soul's Location.

"I have discovered the location of the soul as well," she resumed. "It is here, in the upper part of the bones, and its spiritual nerves connect directly with the dome of the temple. The body is the temple and the dome, or top of the forehead, is the workshop of the soul."

Mme. Rique wore a Grecian robe cut square at the neck, giving the soul an open field for expression. She explained that if anything bound the throat the spiritual nerves were handicapped in sending currents to the brain or dome, and the whole scheme of cultivation and elevation was materially hurt thereby.

Then it's a man's collars that make him grouchy and peevish! Can he be relieved by the application? Will he go to Raymond Duncan's tailor for his fall suit? With his aura, starting at the chest and encircling him, he will doubtless have to go about in sandals as well as the aura described by Mme. Rique goes right through the door, or the asphalt, or the mexicals, and when a man realizes what it does for him, she admitted, he will take pretty good care to develop and protect it.

★ QUAINT SUPERSTITIONS. ★

A collection of tallow rising up against the wick of a candle was styled a winding sheet in olden times, and deemed an omen of death in the family. A spark at the candle denoted that the person opposite to it would shortly receive a letter.

Unlucky days were marked by the Romans with a piece of charcoal and lucky ones with a bit of white chalk; hence the expression "black letter days," meaning days of misfortune.

People of antiquity thought that earthquakes were produced by dead warriors fighting with one another under ground and so shaking the earth.

From the earliest times ornaments fashioned in the shape of crescents have been regarded as potent charms to ward off evil spirits.

Scarlet Fever Case.

Sanitary Officer Switalski has quarantined the home of Arthur Hobbs at 59 West Eighth street, whose little daughter, Lillian, has scarlet fever.

SCIOTO COUNTY FAIR

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 16th, 17th, and 18th!

An Agricultural Fair With Plenty of Good Side Attractions. Good Races Each Day, Both Harness and Running Races! More Horses Entered This Year Than Ever Before!

BAND CONCERTS EACH DAY!

RACES CALLED PROMPTLY AT 1:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

On Wednesday We Will Admit One Lady FREE With One Paid Gentleman's Ticket!

General Admission, Adults 25 Cents — Children Under 12 Years of Age 15 Cents

L. TAYLOR, President — W. A. McGEORGE, Secretary

Automobile Explodes; Stable Is Set On Fire

Gasoline in Dr. George Marshall's automobile exploded and caused what for a time threatened to prove a disastrous blaze at the rear of his East Ninth street hospital, Friday evening.

Residents of the neighborhood were startled about 7:30 by a loud report, which shook the whole vicinity. This was immediately followed by a bright glare and flames were seen bursting from the Marshall stable. Druggist Henry Wiechens sent in an alarm and meanwhile Clem Switalski, a traveling salesman, residing nearby, rushed to the scene. He found the doctor's machine enveloped in flames. He dashed several buckets of water on the flames and succeeded in extinguishing them before the arrival of the department. The flames had started to communicate with adjoining stables and owners had started to remove their horses to places of safety.

The tires of the automobile were either burned or melted off, while it is not known to what extent the body and engine of the machine were damaged. The damage to the stable was slight. A hired man who looks after the automobile had been in the stable shortly before the explosion and everything seemed in order at the time.

An Old Riley Poem

Washington, Aug. 11—Though countless gifts, usually more notable as curiosities than for their merit are received at the White House, Secretary Hilles the other day found in the President's mail an offering of considerable literary value. It was nothing less than a copy of a hitherto unpublished poem by James Whitcomb Riley, which he himself has said was the first poem he ever wrote. It has been omitted from all collections of Riley's verse, owing to its purely personal nature.

The verse is dedicated to Hamilton J. Dunbar, who died in Greenfield, Indiana, September 5, 1876. It is as follows:

Dead! Dead! Dead!
We thought him ours alone;
And none so proud to see him tread
The rounds of fame, and lift his head
Where sunlight shone;
But now; our aching eyes are dim
And look thro' tears in vain for him.

Name! Name! Name!
It was his diadem;
Nor ever fanish, taint of shame,
Could dim its lustre; like a flame
Reflected in a gem,
He wears it blazing on his brow
Within the courts of Heaven now.

Tears! Tears! Tears!
Like dew upon the leaf
That burst at least, from out the years,
The blossom of the trust appears
That blooms above the grief;
And mother, brother, wife and child
Will see it and be reconciled.

In 1876, according to the letter sent with the copy of the poem, James Whitcomb Riley was 23 years old, and engaged in the occupation of painting signs in his native town of Greenfield. Dunbar was one of its best beloved citizens. Riley knew him well, and idolized him.

Twenty years after Riley told this preacher, the Rev. Henry A. Butchel, a Methodist:

"When the services were over I went home and wrote a poem on Ham Dunbar. It was the first poem I ever wrote, and it gave me the idea that after all, I might be something more than a sign painter."

WILL ATTEND HARUGARI MEETING

Indications are that Portsmouth will be well represented at the grand lodge meeting of the Harugari, which begins in Cincinnati next Wednesday. Some of the local members will leave for the Queen City, Sunday. Jacob Kah, of this city, is a grand guard and also expects to attend the meeting.

105 In Shade

John Richter's thermometer at the St. John hotel, registered 105 in the shade Friday afternoon.

Too Hot For Good Time

The excessive heat was responsible for the small attendance at the meeting of Court Rusk, Independent Order of Foresters, Friday night and early adjournment was taken.

CAN'T WORK FOR WEEKS

"Jim" Evans, who had his left arm badly injured in falling on the edge of a plate at the steel plant recently, feels considerably improved, though it will be week's before he can resume work.

George Broke Saxophone

George Haaf did not attend the regular weekly rehearsal of the River City band Friday evening, having broken his saxaphone one day last week.

Whopper Fish

A monster catfish was caught in the Ohio river above Portsmouth, Tuesday night, by Jake Brooker. When weighed the scale recorded [illegible] pounds.

IRONTON IS WARMEST SPOT NEXT TO HADES

The reports that Ironton, next to Yuma, Arizona, is the warmest spot next to a certain place hereafter, is borne out by what the Daily Register says of the weather up there during the past two days. The Register deposeth:

"The summer of 1911 will be remembered for its long continued drouth and extremely high temperature. The summer of 1881 was exactly similar to the present summer and there was no relief in that year until September.

"Three times this year has the mercury soared above the hundred mark and the end is not yet. In July the thermometer reached 102 degrees. This record was almost equalled Thursday when the government thermometer recorded a temperature of 101. Today the heat was fierce and intense, the hot, blistering air arising from the paved streets and sidewalks being positively suffocating. The highest temperature recorded today was 101½ at 2:45 o'clock."

Short Cuts to Correct Conduct.

Envy never has a holiday.
Haste trips up its own heels.
Without power anger is folly.
Night is the mother of counsels.
A red nose makes a ragged back.
Conscience is the chamber of justice.
The sting of a reproach is the truth of it.
When the flatterer pipes the devil dances.
When the tree is fallen every one hath to it with his hatchet.
The pen of the tongue should be dipped in the ink of the heart.

REBUILDING PROPERTY

Mrs. Catherine McAllister has vacated her old brick homestead at South Portsmouth and is now living with her niece, Mrs. Emma Atkins. Mrs. McAllister is rebuilding her business property occupied as a refreshment parlor by Bill Brandett, who will move his family into the residence property.

PRAISE FOR MOKELDER

Sheriff John Eckhart, David Stalder, Jake Pfau, Thos. Schirmman and other Portsmouth men who saw the Piketon races Thursday are warmly praising Ralph Calvert's little brown horse, Mokelder. The horse came on the track very lame, but showed more speed than any other horse and really finished second, though awarded third money.

To Be Repaired.

Henry Clausing's motorcycle, which was smashed up in a collision on Thursday, was shipped to the Hendee Machine Works at Springfield on Friday by Tide Davenport. A new frame will have to be built for the machine.

New Road About Ready

The new road connecting the Market and Madison street driveways on the river bank is about completed. The improvement is one of the best made by the city for some time past.

Home From East.

John Lutz, a cutter in the employ of the Selby Shoe Company, has returned from a three weeks' trip through the East. He visited all the big cities and had a fine time.

Horse In Hospital.

A fine big grey horse belonging to J. Pickering, of Rushtown, ran a nail into its foot causing a severe wound. The animal is now at the Dr. Gill hospital.

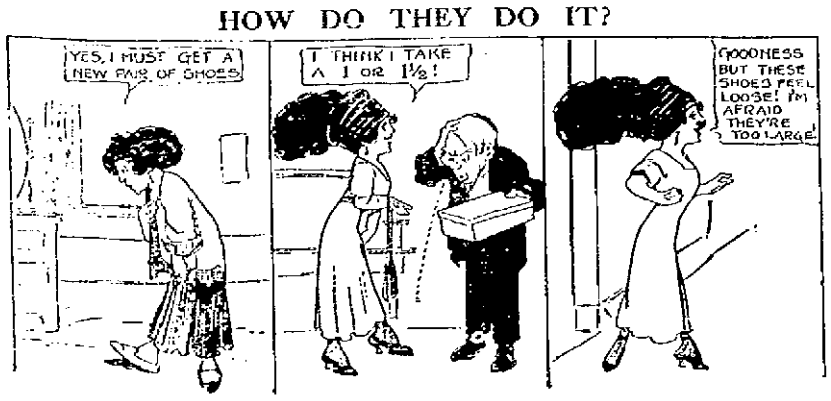
Attending Fair.

Dr. J. D. Hendrickson has gone to Vanceburg, Ky., to visit his aged mother and to attend the Lewis county fair.

Sells Fine Scales.

Fairfax Dickey, agent for the Computing Scales Company, has sold the Spitzer grocery a fine finished pair of scales.

HOW DO THEY DO IT?



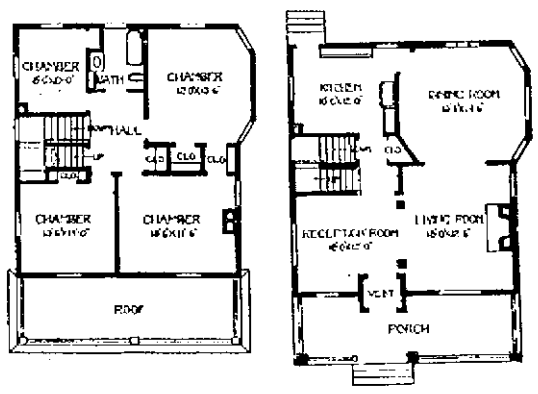
AN ECONOMICAL EIGHT ROOM HOUSE, COSTING $2,200.

Designed by Chas. S. Sedgwick, Architect.

This type of house is perhaps the most common in general use and the reason is that the same accommodations, if placed on one floor, cost more money to build and the ground area is necessarily much greater. Then again there is a feeling among many people that sleeping rooms on the second floor are more desirable.

The size on the ground of this modest home, is 26 feet in width and 30 feet in depth, exclusive of front piazza. There is a good basement under the whole house. The construction is the usual frame with sheathing, siding, etc. It is estimated to build in this manner, with good hard wood finish in the first story and pine finish in the second story, the attic not being finished, for a sum not exceeding $2,200, exclusive of heating and plumbing. The roof is shingled and stained and the side walls painted. The interior arrangement, is with a good sized reception room and large living room across the front and connected with a wide columned opening.

There is one main chimney with a wide fire place in the living room and a small kitchen chimney. The staircase is planned with side grade entrance and is convenient to kitchen, leading from the basement to attic story, with platforms and windows lighting same. The attic story is well lighted with dormer windows and is good height with floor laid, giving good storage space and the opportunity of finishing rooms if desired. This design is simple, plain and makes a desirable home where economy is necessary.



Of Interest To Men.

It is necessary for a man to wear dinner clothes when invited to even an informal dinner as a compliment to his hostess. If the host does not care to make a change of dress the fact should not influence the guest.

Mother Tries To Make Daughter White Slave?

The police are investigating a complaint that a certain mother living in an alley at the rear of West Eleventh street, is plotting to make a "white slave" of her only daughter.

According to word sent to officers, the family consists of the mother, daughter and a son. The latter does not work and is plotting with the mother to drive the girl into a life of shame by earning money from men callers he brings around the house. She has refused to listen to their propositions and has been deporting herself like a decent young woman. A Salvation Army man boards with the family, and but for that fact they would be in bad circumstances.

The Wages of Sin Is Death

(Composed by O. T. Heaberlin, Portsmouth, Ohio.

God told Adam and Eve
The morning they were blessed,
Thou shalt not eat of the forbidden tree,
For the WAGES of SIN is DEATH.

Jesus says, "Seek ye first the Kingdom,
I shall add the rest."
Just as He told His Disciples,
For the WAGES of SIN is DEATH.

Paul on his way to Damascus,
The Christians to arrest,
Was stricken blind and fell in the dust,
For the WAGES of SIN is DEATH.

Paul repented and received his sight,
And he preached from East to West;
Do the commandments of Jesus Christ,
For the WAGES of SIN is DEATH.

Now this message comes to us,
If we would gain that rest;
Live our lives for our savior, Jesus,
For the WAGES of SIN is DEATH.

Boy With Carnival

Chief McCarty is in receipt of a letter from Safety Director T. V. Dupoy, of Ironton, advising him that Harry Hodges, aged 14, of Portsmouth, was with the street fair there. The boy claimed his parents are dead.

Evans Has Winner

Ben Evans, the well known Portsmouth dancing artist, writes home from Virginia City, Nevada, that he has at last picked a winner.

Ben and his side partner have succeeded in interesting some New York agents in their sketch, and they are now headed back to New York with every prospect of a steady run. They have contracted with the Variety for advertising for the next four weeks and anticipate making big money the coming fall and winter.

Going On A Camping Trip

George Funk, Carl and Frank Kellar and Frank Schropp will leave next Tuesday on a month's camping trip along the Ohio. They have leased a spot near Hayport, where they will put up their tents. They are all known shoeworkers.

TO TRAVEL FOR DREW CO.

Mr. Howard Smith, of Hagerstown, Md., who has been the valuable shipping clerk the past year at the Irving Drew factory on Tenth street, will start out the first of September as one of the traveling salesmen for the Irving Drew factory. His territory will be the states of Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia. He is a very bright and genial young man and the wishes of his many friends are success.

WATCH WAS STOLEN

Adam Bunson, of No. 208 East Second street, reported to the police that his watch had been stolen from his home. The theft is thought to have occurred during the noon hour.

Jack Hagar has taken a position as barber with the Braemuper shop on North Walter street.

Fishing Is Good.

George Gims and Albert Brunner have returned from a trip down the Ohio to the camp where the sons of the two men have been staying for the past three days. Mr. Gims says that the fishing is good.

Union Is Trying To Make Good Printers

Three years ago the International Typographical Union made an effort to develop a system of trade education. The purpose was twofold (1) to afford the inexperienced an opportunity to acquire what a bad apprenticeship system denied them, and (2) to give the accomplished printer an opportunity to "branch out"—do a higher class of work than is usually assigned to compositors. The Inland Printer developed a correspondence course, and the International Typographical Union endowed it in such a manner that it is sold to printers for less than half what it would cost if the course were a purely commercial venture.

A booklet just issued shows how thoroughly the system has covered its field. There are examples of work done by printers before and after taking the course, and comparisons show great improvement.

Further proofs of the value of this system of trade education are that in three years more than twenty-three hundred students had been enrolled; the instruction of printing schools in Great Britain, France and other countries are taking the lessons, while the government of New South Wales has requested permission to adopt "The I. T. U. Course," in its trade educational system.

The typographical union is the oldest American labor organization, and has many benefactions, including a fine home for incapacitated members, one of the best tuberculosis sanitoriums in the country, a burial benefit, and it spends more than $100,000 a year on old-age pensions. The yearly earnings of its members total $50,000,000.

Hitch Over Windows Has Been Settled

The dispute between the building committee of the Second Presbyterian church and Horace I. Phipps & Co., of Boston, Mass., over the kind of stops to be used in installing the windows, has finally been settled. A copy of the specifications was found, which showed that wooden stops should be used in the windows, as the glass men claimed. Some of the small windows in the auditorium have already been installed. The big art windows are expected to arrive next week.

Friday the frescoers completed their work and the interior presents a beautiful and artistic appearance. The artists left Saturday for Detroit, where on Monday they commence decorating the interior of a large new cathedral which is being erected there.

Can 'Em Now

Now is the time to can tomatoes for the winter. The quality is good and they are selling as low as 65 cents per bushel.

TREE FELL WRONG WAY

Workmen engaged in leveling an old tree in front of the John Knowles home on East Second street, Friday, had the misfortune to lose control of it. The tree fell across the adjacent yard of Henry Atlas, breaking up a lawn swing and almost striking Mr. Atlas as he was emerging from the front door of his home.

WILL CAMP ON THE SCIOTO

Mr. and Mrs. John Audres and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Davis left Saturday on a camping trip up the Scioto. They will pitch their tents below Lucaseville. More fish are being hauled out of the Scioto this year than ever before known.

Mr. Freshel Better.

George H. Freshel, who was threatened with pneumonia, was able to be up and about again Friday afternoon, but far from being well.

UPWARD AND ONWARD.

"Oh, why did I follow that motto, 'There's always room at the top!'"

Cigars On New Girl

Born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dehner, of West Seventh street, a fine 12 pound girl. Mr. Dehner has charge of the store of the Miller Dry Goods Company. Mr. Dehner sent a box of fine cigars to the Times office as a result of the new acquisition to his interesting family, which now consists of two sons and a daughter.

WILL OPEN A REPAIR SHOP

R. N. Carney, who has been employed by W. J. Friel, has decided to open an auto repair shop in the room on Second street, which was recently vacated by Walter Patterson. Mr. Carney has a patented vulcanizer that is a good one, and his specialty will be vulcanizing tires. He will take a partner in his new business, R. N. Russell, a well known East End barber.

On Legal Business.

Prosecuting Attorney Horace Small was a visitor to Otway Friday, on legal business.

J. Rickey A Visitor.

Ex-Sheriff James Rickey, of Harrisonville, was a business visitor in the city, Friday.

The Innocent Bystander

Says That Clothing Dummies Give a Wax Impression of the Real Thing.

Eli that the National Window Trimmers' Association thinks a living model would make a better window display than a wax dummy," observed the Regular Fellow.

"Their idea is that the dummies give only a wax impression of the real thing, eh?" inquired the Innocent Bystander. "Well, that's all a phonograph record does, and there's nothing dumb about it. It's a speaking likeness. But it's a great little idea, and if you happen to see it being put into operation get me on the telephone at once before the police are called out to clear the sidewalks. My teachers always did say that I was a 'model' boy, and I could bring along my opera glasses if necessary.

"The scheme is a fine one and ought to make the store display windows drag all the crowds away from the musical comedies, beaches and roof shows—if it can be worked. Of course it would be all right for displaying the new fall hats—the 'washrag hat,' to say nothing of the face towel hat, the bathbrush hat, the toothpowder hat, the bathsponge hat, the coldcream hat and a few other scrubbing specialties. It would be feasible enough to have living models displaying automobile dusters, pony coats, furs, tailor made suits, hobble dresses, raincoats and the like.

"TRIMMER."

"But how about having real models to stroll around the windows where the stores display bathing suits, evening gowns—er—er—nighties—um—er—pajamas—and—oh, all that sort of thing? Of course it would receive lots of attention, but not necessarily from the sex which wears that sort of apparel.

"And then consider the natty young window trimmers who climb into the windows every day and blushingly remove the expensive lingerie gowns from the wax models, replacing them with the latest tailored suit bargain. You have to consider these young men and their sensitive natures.

"Time was when a wax dummy was some fierce looking beast mounted on a wire frame, over which a dress was draped any old way. Now they have works of art, faces bright, serious, regular, prim, young, middle aged and gray haired models, standing, walking or sitting cross legged to display silk hosiery. While a trimmer was changing a suit recently I noted that the dummies even wear lacey lingerie under their outer garments. They may be dummies, but their clothes speak for them."

"Do you think the trimmers will carry out their idea?" asked the Regular Fellow.

"Well, window trimmers are different than political trimmers," said the Innocent Bystander.

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TWO VICTORIES IN ONE DAY---WHO WOULDN'T JUMP AND HOLLER?--- By Shonk.

THAT BRACE CAME IN THE NICK OF TIME

The Champs have so far played six games, on the present 11 day trip. They have annexed but two victories and have been kicked in the slats four times.

Had the team played the game it is capable of the figures should be reversed. But Friday's come back was very pleasing to local fandom, who had been in the depths of despair all week. And to think in Hamville Dunham and Brown, two dub pitchers got away with their games and Jones and Bush, two brainy twirlers were defeated.

The Champs moved up to Lima Saturday and will play three games there before going to Piqua. The team can make a creditable showing on this trip, by winding it up with a string of victories. In the first six games the Champs scored 17 runs to their opponents 24.

27 More Games

The Champs have 27 more games to play before the curtain drops on the season in the Ohio State. There is a postponed game in Piqua and two games at home on Labor Day. The Champs have 13 more to play on the road and 14 at Millbrook. If they finish third or better a decided brace will have to be taken in the enemy's territory. Every team in the league will be seen in action at the local park when the Champs arrive home for the farewell series.

BIG BENEFIT GAME

The Midgets and the Portsmouth Steel company's team will play a benefit game Sunday afternoon for the benefit of George Evans. The game will be called at 2:30 and the admission will be 25 cents. Here is the way the two teams will line up:

Midgets—E. Brennan, lf; Davis, 2b; J. Brenan, 1b; Ross, ss; Allen, 3b; Reinhart, rf; Grimm, rf; Stilwell, c; and Mowrey, p.

Steelmakers—Staiger, 2b; Banfield, 1b; Buckles, lf; Lindsey, cf; Claro, 3b; Hourgholtzer, ss; Kilich, rf; McDaniel, c; Barber, p.

Ball Shatters Bone

East Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Hugh Tate, first baseman for the Youngstown ball team playing here Wednesday afternoon, had his right wrist shattered by being struck with a fast shoot pitched by Riehle of the local team. The accident happened in the eighth inning. Dr. J. L. Pyles, former mayor of Chester, W. Va., was in the stand, and after an examination declared the bone in Tate's wrist had been broken into at least ten pieces.

In the ninth inning these present witnessed a display of nerve by Tate that has never been equalled here. After pushing his way past several players, the big first sacker went to his station and donned his glove. The fans cheered loudly, believing the injury had not been serious. Tate stood at first base and called to Ryland to throw the ball. The command was obeyed, the sphere being tossed to Tate. When the ball struck Tate's hand a crack that was heard in the stands resulted and the injured man gave up his fight against big odds.

Pulling off his glove Tate walked to the bench where Dr. Pyle took him in charge.

Bouquet Handed to Weiny

Weinberg is an awful hard loser. This often helps to win games. Hard working scrappy ball players of this kind generally make good and it is a pleasure to see a player out fighting for every point in a game. Weiny is a quick thinker and a valuable man on a ball team.—Hamilton News.

Reds Hit Old Pace

After playing championship ball for eight rounds the Reds ballooned in the ninth Friday and Pittsburg scored four runs and easily won the game. Mitchell to add to the discomfort of the fans misjudged a fly, which went as a homer. Suggs pitched a beautiful game until the ninth. The Pirates gained on the Cubs as they were idle on account of wet grounds. The score:

Pittsburg.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Byrne, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Clarke, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Carey, cf	3	0	0	4	0	0
Wagner, ss	2	1	1	5	2	0
Miller, 2b	3	1	1	2	4	0
McKechnie, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Wilson, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Gibson, c	4	1	1	4	2	0
Adams, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	30	5	6	27	13	0

Cincinnati.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bescher, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0
Bates, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Hoblitzell, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Mitchell, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Downey, ss	4	0	1	2	2	0
Egan, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	0
Esmond, 3b	4	0	1	2	4	0
McLean, c	3	0	2	5	0	0
Suggs, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	32	1	8	27	12	0

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Pittsburg .... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 4—5

Two base hit—Adams. Three base hit—Bescher. Home run—Wilson. Double plays—Downey to Hobby; Esmond to Egan to Hobby. Sacrifice hits—Bates, Carey. Stolen bases—Bates, Bescher. Struck out—By Suggs, 1; by Adams, 2.

De Lotel Shone

Ashland, Ky., Aug. 12.—DeLotel, who was on the mound for the Twins Friday did not allow a man to get as far as second base and scored a shut-out against Middleport-Pomeroy, 9 to 0. Besides holding the visitors to two hits, DeLotel was the star of the day with the stick for the locals, getting three hits out of five times at bat, one a triple, a double and a single. His general all around work featured the game. McClintock was wild and was hit freely by the locals, who had little difficulty in taking the game.

Tigers Still Are Clawing

While the majority seem to think that the Athletics will never be ousted from first place again, Hughey Jennings is not of that opinion. The Tiger manager says that his team will be fighting right up to the drop of the hat for the pennant in the American League. Jennings says he will have Delehanty back in the game when the team gets home, and that his team will be making a great bid for the pennant.

Wild Bill Donovan, one of the old timers in the baseball business, can still pitch. While he may not be able to pitch as often as he did, he is going good again. Donovan also beat out a bunt yesterday and stole a base.

Batting Averages

Players.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	2b.	3b.	hr.	SB.	SH.	Av.
McKelvey, Lancaster	5	20	2	10	1	0	0	1	0	.500
Moore, Portsmouth	33	89	8	33	9	0	0	4	3	.371
Blue, Piqua	110	105	59	110	18	7	3	6	11	.345
Goodrich, Portsmouth	23	73	8	25	3	1	1	0	6	.342
Nesser, Lima	112	436	70	149	28	20	2	20	10	.342
Kendall, Springfield	102	430	73	139	16	9	2	27	26	.339
Harrison, Springfield	2	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	.333
Reilly, Chillicothe	81	298	45	99	13	1	1	19	5	.332
Riehl, Piqua	108	407	50	135	25	2	7	13	5	.332
Osborne, Lima	37	107	17	35	2	2	2	1	1	.327
Houtz, Lima	100	349	66	114	18	11	3	20	7	.327
Linderbeck, Marion	105	408	67	133	25	6	7	62	12	.326
Dixon, Springfield	63	195	25	63	11	5	3	2	7	.323
Colligan, Marion	112	433	80	140	26	8	1	13	22	.320
McKee, Springfield	100	347	65	110	17	1	3	15	19	.317
Meehan, Marion	101	397	70	119	21	1	0	42	13	.310
Decker, Hamilton	91	342	44	107	15	2	0	15	39	.315
Martin, Hamilton	29	93	9	29	3	1	0	2	2	.312
F. O'Day, Springfield	111	429	67	133	17	9	1	32	8	.310
Lalher, Marion	112	415	76	128	19	3	3	17	33	.308
Weinberg, Portsmouth	98	334	46	103	19	5	2	10	13	.308
Epler, Lancaster	102	413	69	126	21	12	2	19	8	.305
Geyer, Piqua	67	258	32	78	15	1	0	4	6	.302
Pryseck, Piqua	110	377	56	112	23	2	5	5	12	.301
Kelly, Chillicothe	102	383	40	115	19	4	3	15	7	.300
Baggan, Piqua	103	361	50	108	15	10	1	24	9	.299
Lewis, Marion	10	27	2	8	1	1	0	1	3	.296
Conwell, Portsmouth	110	410	42	120	40	9	0	20	15	.293
Keefe, Hamilton	101	403	43	118	26	4	2	15	12	.293
Seneff, Marion	34	97	10	27	1	0	0	3	2	.289
Donnelly, Hamilton	69	202	28	58	11	0	0	6	14	.287
Heib, Lancaster	73	280	32	80	15	3	3	3	4	.285
Wrigley, Chillicothe	105	418	54	119	19	3	0	24	21	.285
Connell, Hamilton	107	361	29	103	19	4	1	5	17	.285
Markey, Springfield	28	99	9	28	7	1	0	2	2	.283
Kibler, Chillicothe	92	323	51	91	13	5	2	12	10	.282
Edwards, Portsmouth	110	252	43	110	21	3	0	20	18	.281
Nally, Springfield	112	451	79	125	16	13	3	19	12	.279
Grandle, Chillicothe	35	112	18	31	3	1	1	1	2	.277
Gilligan, Hamilton	93	341	60	95	15	2	1	21	5	.275
McCall, Marion	38	117	13	32	4	1	0	3	3	.274
McIlvaine, Piqua	4	11	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	.273
Rudolph, Lancaster	102	383	57	105	21	4	2	11	12	.274
Wolfe, Chillicothe	100	383	52	104	19	3	7	8	15	.272
Foley, Springfield	111	420	45	114	12	4	0	15	31	.271
Plummer, Piqua	74	307	32	82	12	2	1	4	2	.267
Sandherr, Lima	62	219	25	58	8	10	1	4	9	.265
Hobbs, Hamilton	53	167	9	44	7	1	0	5	0	.263
Kelley, Marion	103	351	48	92	7	9	10	20	11	.258
Beers, Portsmouth	44	124	13	32	8	0	0	11	8	.258
C. O'Day, Springfield	69	225	31	58	13	0	2	6	11	.258
Longmere, Chillicothe	21	51	5	13	0	1	1	0	2	.255
Striker, Lancaster	19	67	7	17	0	0	0	0	4	.254
Jones, Hamilton	34	83	7	21	0	1	0	3	4	.253
Whalen, Portsmouth	104	386	38	97	11	5	4	7	26	.251
Young, Lima	30	120	10	30	7	4	0	2	8	.250
Scott, Springfield	5	12	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	.250
Wentz, Springfield	107	369	51	91	9	7	2	36	18	.247
Harter, Portsmouth	22	73	8	15	2	0	0	3	0	.247
Donalds, Lima	36	97	11	24	4	3	1	0	3	.247
McConnell, Piqua	52	150	15	37	5	4	0	5	5	.247
Locke, Hamilton	99	352	33	87	13	3	3	14	14	.247
Lake, Chillicothe	34	98	10	24	3	0	0	1	4	.245
Potts, Portsmouth	49	172	26	42	6	2	0	13	5	.244
Friend, Lima	90	320	36	78	6	9	2	7	12	.244
Smith, Marion	95	334	55	81	15	1	0	9	12	.243
Herold, Piqua	87	256	31	69	7	1	0	4	12	.244
Lloyd, Portsmouth	31	79	5	19	1	2	0	0	1	.245
Hammond, Chillicothe	110	408	60	98	18	0	1	16	15	.240
Weller, Marion	112	376	43	90	11	6	0	12	22	.239
Fennant, Chillicothe	110	399	56	95	0	10	5	19	8	.238
Goshorn, Piqua	38	93	6	22	5	0	0	0	1	.237
Beebe, Chillicothe	32	97	4	23	0	1	0	0	3	.237
McGraynor, Chillicothe	28	76	11	18	2	1	0	0	6	.237
Cooper, Marion	34	99	10	23	2	0	0	2	1	.232
Childs, Portsmouth	92	324	32	75	7	0	0	5	18	.231
H. Cain, Portsmouth	103	440	53	101	9	5	2	15	20	.230
Schwab, Springfield	26	74	8	17	3	1	0	0	1	.230
McClintock, Lima	102	400	50	95	7	5	0	12	35	.230
West, Hamilton	29	113	15	26	2	0	0	12	3	.230
Ashenfelder, Springfield	41	88	9	20	5	0	0	2	4	.228
Hing, Springfield	42	128	6	29	2	1	0	1	12	.227
Newnham, Piqua	107	380	47	86	11	2	0	11	38	.226
Goulart, Marion	50	98	11	22	6	1	2	5	6	.225
Porter, Lancaster	6	18	0	4	1	0	0	1	2	.222
Harriot, Chillicothe	21	68	6	15	5	2	1	0	2	.221
Johnston, Springfield	30	86	6	19	1	2	0	0	4	.221
Long, Lima	112	389	27	86	11	3	2	12	15	.221
Munn, Lancaster	87	327	21	72	7	5	4	3	18	.220
Hartwig, Portsmouth	23	74	9	16	0	0	0	1	1	.216
Conley, Lancaster	45	153	8	33	6	1	0	2	9	.216
Patterson, Hamilton	45	133	7	28	1	0	0	4	10	.211
Platzer, Piqua	12	42	4	13	3	0	2	1	3	.210
Zoich, Chillicothe	15	44	2	9	3	0	0	0	2	.209
Young, Lancaster	9	29	1	6	2	0	0	0	0	.207
Taylor, Piqua	33	97	7	20	1	1	0	0	1	.206
Honnold, Marion	111	371	47	75	15	4	0	18	28	.205
Clarke, Lima	33	144	8	29	2	2	0	3	5	.201
Bush, Hamilton	19	60	3	12	3	0	0	0	3	.200
Joyce, Hamilton	36	112	12	22	3	0	1	2	7	.196
Cheney, Lancaster	51	129	13	25	2	0	0	0	5	.194
Kline, Piqua	26	52	5	10	0	1	1	0	2	.192
Theisen, Lancaster	38	97	6	18	5	0	1	2	1	.185
Frost, Lancaster	34	38	1	7	0	0	1	1	2	.184
Baird, Lima	4	11	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	.182
Marshall, Lancaster	31	80	5	13	1	0	0	4	2	.163
Jerger, Lima	6	19	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	.158
Dunham, Hamilton	5	17	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	.118
Joyce, Piqua	5	15	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	.133
Monk, Lima	34	80	5	5	9	0	0	6	1	.113
Brown, Hamilton	25	56	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	.107
Crouch, Lancaster	10	28	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	.107
Schanze, Lima	27	64	6	6	1	0	0	0	7	.094
Roehler, Springfield	28	61	6	5	1	0	0	1	5	.082
Ahearn, Portsmouth	22	61	4	5	1	0	0	1	5	.085
Myers, Portsmouth	6	10	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000
Orris, Lancaster	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Ray, Hamilton	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Advance Winter Dope

The Springfield Daily News of Friday carried a story [illegible] that city would next year [illegible] in the Central league and that Zanesville would be dropped. It [illegible] further that Zanesville would probably secure a berth in the new O. & P. [illegible] to organize this fall and winter. The Springfield paper took the story from the Indianapolis News which stated that W. H. Watkins the owner of the Springfield team, now in the Ohio State league and also owner of the Indianapolis team in the American Association, has purchased the Evansville franchise and the team would be transferred to Springfield next season. The story goes that the Central league is to be reinstated and that several cities will be dropped. Terre Haute, Evansville and South Bend will be taken into the Three I league which will be organized. The new Central league will probably be composed of such cities as Dayton, Canton, Youngstown, Wheeling and Fort Wayne.

KNUCKLE BALL IS IN THE CLUB REPERTOIRE

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Pitching in nearly all its forms can be seen by watching the twirlers of the Chicago Cub staff perform. Ways of throwing the sphere to the batter are many, and there also are many methods of gripping the pellet before striving to put over a strike or tease a batter. Most twirlers have some one curve they specialize in, while others are strong with more than one. In delivering the ball there are the overhand, underhand and side arm actions. Besides this, some pcs with a half side arm motion.

All these forms are possessed by Manager Chance's flingers. In addition there are styles of gripping the globule known as the "knuckle ball," the "spitball" and the "slow ball." Ways for heaving the last are numerous. It is said there is only one way of using the first two, although twirlers claim to have a system of their own, but when it comes down to demonstrating it was found the difference from the general rule was not noticeable.

The "knuckle ball" is thrown by placing the ends of the first and second fingers to the first joint on the seam of the sphere or on the smooth part of the leather, according to what kind of a bender is desired. In throwing a "spitter" saliva is applied to the ball, upon which is placed about an inch of the first two fingers. Most "spitball" throwers throw with an overhand delivery, and the same case applies to the "knuckle ball," although there are some who throw both curves with the side arm and underhand motion.

VICTORY DUE TO BROWN

Here is how the Hamilton Journal regards the "ins and outs" of the Thursday defeat of the Champs.

Our own Horace Brown held those hard hitting Champs to three little bingles and gave them a three to two beating at the yard Thursday afternoon. Horace had his slow ball working to perfection, and mixing it up with his smoker, had the River City lads at his mercy throughout the contest, that was staged in the record-breaking time of one hour and fifteen minutes. For the Toolmakers, Doctor Martin seems to be the particular star, having thirteen chances at the short field station, and taking part in two beautiful double plays. Eddie Donnelly, who has been putting up such a grand game in right, was largely in evidence in the eighth inning, when he accepted two very difficult chances, with a man on second and only one down, and one run necessary to tie the score, his running catch of Cain's Texas leaguer bringing the fans to their feet.

Pretzels And-- For Hamilton

Lloyd's spit ball was working nice in Thursday's game, that is for the Toolmakers. He has been a puzzle for them all season and it was very pleasant for them to finally get to him.—Hamilton Journal.

It is brundle to chirp "we told you so," but will the gentle reader kindly observe where that pesky Pirate organization has placed itself in the procession. And, with rumors of dissension within the ranks of the Cubs that refuse to down, there is much more than a bare chance that Fred Clark's crew will repose near the top.

Wish We Had Jackson Now

W. H. Jackson, who refused to report to the locals last year and got in a big mixup with the National Commission is now playing first base for Oklahoma City, which is in the Texas league. In a recent game against Dallas, he made three juicy triples. Jackson is batting second.

ENGLISHMAN FAVORITE IN COMING WELCH-WOLGAST BOUT

FREDDY WELCH

When "Freddie" Welch, the English lightweight, and "Ad" Wolgast meet in a bout for the championship of the world, in September, it will be a case of the scientific boxer pitted against the rugged natural fighter. Western critics favor the chances of the title holder. They claim Welch's only hope lies in being able to last the entire distance and outpoint his opponent, as "Freddie" has no punch. Time will definitely decide the question.

ZUBER'S LETTER

Cincinnati, O., Aug. 12.—Nearly every season some lowly team bobs up at a critical stage of the championship race, and by a few, well-directed blows, proceeds to kill the pennant hopes of some high-class, aspiring aggregation. That was the sort of performance the Reds gave in the recent series with the Philadelphias. Capt. Mike Doolan and his athletes came to town, determined to make a clean sweep of it with the Reds. Hadn't they found them easy picking before, and was there any reason to suppose that they would be any different on this occasion? Sure thing. So Doolan and his crew figured these contests to be played on the local greensward as being part of their winning percentage. But when they left town Sunday night it was with many a Red scalp hanging from their belts, with three defeats chalked up against them and with their pennant hopes largely blasted. Last year it was the St. Louis Cardinals that put the New Yorks out of the running, and the year before that the Reds, by a few unexpected victories over the Giants, allowed Pittsburg to come home with the coonskins. Moral: Beware the lowly team at the time the fight for the flag is hottest.

The Reds will have another opportunity of placing ashes on the sliding track to the pennant next Sunday, when they meet the Pirates in a double-header on the local lot. Clarke's men have been going good of late, and at several stages have threatened to change places with the Chicagos. It is possible that they will do so as a result of this double-header—or it is possible that a pair of defeats on the occasion of that meeting will result in their being pushed just far enough down the ladder to keep them from making the necessary hot finish when the time comes. The Reds now are playing a higher grace of braced up, the pitchers are working better, and more judgment is being exercised on the bases than heretofore. Under these conditions Griffith's men are certain to be dangerous for the rest of the season, even though they do not reach a higher position than that which they now occupy.

There's quite a crop of youngsters promised for the local team by the time they return from their next Eastern trip, which begins next week. Among those who are certain to be on hand for a try-out are Pitchers Crompton of Dayton, Boyd of Columbus and Benton of the Southern league, the latter a left-hander. Then there will be Catchers Murphy of Dallas and Catcher Murphy of the Central association, Second Baseman Benson of Dayton and three men of various positions from California. There may also be several others added in the meantime, but the above are certain, not forgetting the sensational Arthur Phelan, third baseman, who also comes up from the Southern league. Manager Griffith has instructions from President Herrmann to try out these youngsters as fast as they report, so the fans will have something besides the fight for position to interest them during the closing weeks of the season.

Cincinnati is making big preparations for the motor boat races and the big automobile road race which will be held in connection with the Fern Bank Dam celebration during the week of September 4. The motor boat races, with which will be combined other aquatic sport, will be held on the Ohio river opposite the central portion of the city on Thursday afternoon, September 7. The automobile races will be held over a course north of the city there being four races at distances ranging from 125 to 250 miles. The course will be about seven miles long and will be put in perfect condition by the County Commissioners. As this is the first race of the kind ever held in this section, being conducted along the lines of the Vanderbilt Cup and the Savannah Grand Prize races, it is certain to attract thousands of people from all sections of the country. It is expected that there will be at least twenty-five starters.

Does it pay to be a successful pugilist? Jack Johnson has just made a contract with Hugh McIntosh for a series of battles covering a period of one year, during which time McIntosh guarantees that Johnson's share of the proceeds shall be not less than $1[illegible]00, the contract also providing that McIntosh shall have the option of renewing the contract for another year at the same figures. In other words Johnson seems to have a cinch on getting $250,000 during the next two years—and all because he was handier with his fists and shiftier on his feet than Jim Jeffries. Sam McVey, Bill Lang, Bill Squires and Sam Langford are some of the men whom Johnson will meet during the first year of his contract with McIntosh, a majority of his battles being scheduled for Australia, for whence he will depart shortly.

With the failure of the racing bills in the New York general assembly to loosen up the turf game in the Empire State it looks as if Canada would now be the logical racing center of the American continent. Eastern and Western turfmen are looking to Canada as the place where the best results may be obtained, and these results now are being felt in the manner in which the Canadian government and the Canadian racing officials are fostering the game. More horses and better racing are the results of this freedom of turf matters in the Dominion, and it is expected that these conditions will improve from year to year. There does not seem to be much hope for improvement in this country, and we'll have to continue in the half-hearted way in which things have been going for some seasons.

Pitcher's Averages

Pitchers.	G.	W.	L.	Pct.
Dixon, Springfield	28	21	7	.750
Grandle, Chillicothe	20	15	5	.750
Joyce, Piqua	4	3	1	.750
Dunham, Hamilton	4	3	1	.750
McCall, Marion	11	8	3	.727
Seneff, Marion	23	16	7	.696
Cooper, Marion	22	14	8	.636
McGraynor, Chillicothe	19	12	7	.632
Goshorn, Piqua	23	14	9	.609
Johnston, Springfield	28	17	11	.607
Roehler, Springfield	20	12	8	.600
Moore, Portsmouth	25	15	10	.600
Myers, Portsmouth	5	3	2	.600
Hartwig, Portsmouth	22	13	9	.591
Kline, Piqua	17	10	7	.588
Zoich, Chillicothe	12	7	5	.583
Ashenfelder, Springfield	30	17	13	.567
Lewis, Marion	9	5	4	.556
Platzer, Piqua	18	10	8	.556
Osborne, Lima	20	11	9	.550
Harter, Portsmouth	22	12	10	.545
Goulart, Marion	26	14	12	.538
Cheney, Lancaster	23	12	11	.522
Donalds, Lima	27	14	13	.519
Scott, Springfield	4	2	2	.500
Taylor, Piqua	30	15	15	.500
Monk, Lima	21	10	11	.476
Lloyd, Portsmouth	21	10	11	.476
Beebe, Chillicothe	21	11	10	[illegible]
Marshall, Lancaster	27	12	15	.444
Jones, Hamilton	25	11	14	.440
Theisen, Lancaster	26	11	15	.423
Frost, Lancaster	12	5	7	.417
Ahearn, Portsmouth	17	7	10	.412
Longmere, Chillicothe	15	6	9	.400
Brown, Hamilton	17	6	11	.353
Schanze, Lima	17	6	11	.353
Baird, Lima	3	1	2	.333
Bush, Hamilton	19	5	14	.263
McIlvaine, Piqua	4	1	3	.250
Jerger, Lima	5	1	4	.200
Orris, Lancaster	3	0	3	.000
Hobbs, Hamilton	6	0	6	.000

Post Season Games Due

Providing that Springfield wins the pennant in the Ohio State and Dayton in the Central league these two clubs teams will play a post season series of seven games. There is great rivalry between the towns and the games would attract immense crowds. The management of both clubs are perfectly willing to pick up the extra change should their teams cop the bunting in their respective leagues.

O. & P. Club Raided

Youngstown, Aug. 12.—A fine deal was put through by Manager Phillips Wednesday when he sold Scott, Sheer and Tate to Washington on an optional agreement with the understanding that if they make good the Steelmen are to receive a neat figure for the fast trio.

For the past ten days Jimmy McAleer has been dickering with Manager Phillips and Magnate Terry for the release of these three infielders under an optional agreement. The deal was wire and Scott, Tate and Sheer will report to the Senators at the close of the O. & P. season.

Manager Phillips has been averse to giving options on any of his players for the reason that the big league clubs usually dodge their end of such agreements by refusing to give recruits the proper chance to demonstrate their ability. Under the present arrangement McAleer has promised to give each of the local star trio every chance in the world to make good and in case of their failure they are to return to the Steelmen.

As soon as Tate, Scott and Sheer report to the Senators in September they are to be given a chance to show big league class.

HOW CHAMPS WON DOUBLE HEADER

(By F. W. Sheridan.)

Hamilton, O., Aug. 11.—Cock-a-doodle-do! Three cheers and a tiger!

Who said I didn't have any pepper. Pok out there, kid, or I'll clear the deck.

Two in one day—hallelujah. Look at the red fire—look!

Well, that shows I am effervescent—don't you understand that word—go buy yourself some bromo seltzer—it will effervescent all right!

Guess that is using up exclamation points pretty fast, eh, kid?

Well, I don't we you those two games from the Hams, Friday, I was going to use language that would have put me down as a fit candidate for the regions below, where the men bellow brimstone and the women sweep away the cinders. But we won, glory be—copped both of them—won them, too, because we played the better ball. The first one was 3 to 2 and I'll bet a dollar to a peanut that I can pass a physical examination for a ten thousand dollar insurance policy. I sat there in my seat, with the sweat trickling down my unshaven cheeks and saw one of the Ham players crack a ball to deep middle that looked like a homer. The Hams had one score at the time he rapped that lalapalooser and one man was on third when the hit was made. We only had three runs and when Mr. Joyce hit that one to center the stands stood up as straight as a bed of asparagus and yelled like n—. Around and around sped Joyce. Cain was after the ball. Potts was right behind him. The former picked up the bruised hide, whipped it to Potts like a shot out of a rifle and the attorney relayed it to Weinberg. All this time Joyse was tearing up the sod like mad. I was as cool as a red hot griddle—I gripped the back of a chair and then took said chair and cracked it over the back of some poor fan's head when Potts' relay went smack dab into Weiny's hand and Joyse was nailed at the plate, giving us the game. It was a fitting climax to a brilliantly played game for the Champs did not have anything that looked like an error in either contest. And believe it or not, those Hams made the Portsmouth contingent go some at that. Under Manager Patterson they are playing a brilliant game. They still run wild on the bases but they are there nine times out of ten with the healthy wallop, and the Champs had their hands full in corralling them.

By thunder, I have gotten away down here in my story and never once mentioned the brilliant work of "Lefty" Hartwig, the 19-year-old lad from the wilds of Michigan. Hartwig pitched one beautiful game, and outside of two innings the Hams never had a chance. He retired the locals in order in five out of the nine innings, and once he fanned the entire side. Hartwig deserved to win and when Weiny nabbed Joyse at the plate the Michigan wild cat grabbed the good natured Dutchman around the neck and hugged him close to his bosom.

But while Hartwig pitched a beautiful game, nevertheless the credit for the victory will have to be given to Professor Harry Lloyd who walloped out a home run to deep left when two Champs were on the sacks. Childs absolutely refused to play while Umpire Gochler was stationed behind the bat and he sent the eminent coach to second in his stead. And the professor delivered in bang up style, for his four golden rap to left sewed up the game for the Champs almost before it had gotten started, and there was at least one fellow on the hard bottom bench that let out a yell that would have turned a Comanchee's hair green with envy.

And then that second. Big Peggy Moore mounted the kopje and let me say right here that he pitched one of the best games of his honored career. Only once did the Hams threaten and that was in the inning that they scored their only run. They might have scored more had it not been for Red Whalen and Homer Cain who pulled off a couple of circus catches when the situation was quite interesting. These two chapples were large factors in the game speaking from a defensive point of view. Manager Childs and John Weinberg and good Jimmy Edwards were the timely swatters, their hits cost a Mr. Bush a victory. They hit when hits were needed and the last two walloped the ball far afield, both Weiny and Edwards getting doubles on their sun bursts.

You can bet your last jitney that there is joy in the Champ's fold. All the players are jubilant and Pete is stepping around like a boy who has just received his first pair of long breeches. My, what a cut-up he is when everything is going right.

I said I wanted a page to describe a double jointed victory, but when I got to thinking about it I guess a couple of columns is all I will use this time. I'm taking my vacation and want a [illegible] left when I return home—[illegible] I'll have a large supply of ginger [illegible] vacation days will be over. Yours truly.

[illegible] how the runs were scored [illegible] I'll knock off for the day. In [illegible] game we scored all our runs [illegible] third frame. Potts led off with [illegible] shot and died at third [illegible] tried to stretch it into a triple. [illegible] Jones looked troubled right [illegible]. Whalen popped to [illegible] but Donnelley dropped Hartwig's [illegible] after a long run. Cain [illegible] and then it was that Lloyd [illegible] a mile to left, scoring [illegible] and Cain and registering himself. It was a mighty wallop [illegible] of all. Lloyd will receive a [illegible] the gift of Messrs. Goodman [illegible] who own a splendid store [illegible].

[illegible] made one in the seventh. [illegible] and West singled to [illegible]. Donnelley forced Brown, [illegible]. Hobbs filed to Goodrich [illegible] West died on a steal of third, [illegible] after Locke was out. Council [illegible] to middle, but was promptly [illegible] by Martin. Joyse then hit [illegible] center, Martin scoring but [illegible] was out trying to stretch [illegible] to a homer. Score:

Hamilton.	AB	H	PO	A	E
[illegible]	2	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	1	2	6	0	0
[illegible]	4	1	1	1	0
[illegible]	3	0	4	2	0
[illegible]	4	0	9	1	0
[illegible]	4	1	3	2	0
[illegible]	4	1	2	6	0
[illegible]	4	0	2	1	0
[illegible]	3	2	0	7	0
[illegible]	3	1	0	0	0
[illegible]	2	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	9	27	17	0

Portsmouth.	AB	H	PO	A	E
[illegible] cf	3	2	2	1	0
[illegible] 2b	1	0	0	0	0
Conwell, 3b	4	1	1	3	0
Weinberg, c	4	0	2	0	0
Goodrich, cf	3	0	2	0	0
Edwards, 1b	4	0	9	1	0
Potts, lf	3	2	1	0	0
Whalen, ss	2	0	3	5	0
Hartwig, p	1	0	0	2	0
Lloyd, 2b	2	1	2	2	0
Totals	30	6	27	15	0

Hamilton .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2
Portsmouth .... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3

Two base hit—Potts. Three base hits—Potts, Joyce. Stolen bases—Donnelley, West. Home run—Lloyd. Sacrifice hit—Whalen. Bases on balls—Off Jones, 5; off Hartwig, 1. Struck out—By Jones, 1; by Hartwig, 6. Left on bases—Hamilton, 5; Portsmouth, 5. Umpires—Gochler and Truby.

SECOND GAME.

The second game began in ten minutes and the Hams were the first to score. They did it in the first frame before "Peggy" got the sweat to running. Brown walked and West sacrificed. Donnelley doubled to middle, Brown sticking to third—bone head. Hobbs grounded to Childs, Brown scoring. Locke then flew to left.

The Champs won the game in the fourth. Childs singled past second, and Conwell put him down. Weiny scored Pete with a double to center and after Goody skied to right, Weiny came home on Edwards' double to left. Potts hit one on the snoot, but West corralled it after a long backward run. The score:

Hamilton.	AB	H	PO	A	E
Brown, cf	2	0	3	0	0
West, lf	1	0	3	0	0
Donnelley, rf	3	2	1	0	0
Hobbs, 2b	3	0	2	2	0
Locke, 1b	3	1	8	0	0
Council, 3b	3	1	0	0	0
Martin, ss	3	0	1	2	0
Joyce, c	2	0	2	0	0
Bush, p	2	0	1	3	0
Totals	22	4	21	7	0

Portsmouth.	AB	H	PO	A	E
Cain, cf	3	0	1	0	0
Childs, 2b	3	1	4	2	0
Conwell, 3b	2	0	0	3	0
Weinberg, c	3	1	2	1	0
Goodrich, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Edwards, 1b	3	1	8	1	0
Potts, lf	3	0	2	0	0
Whalen, ss	2	1	2	0	0
Moore, p	2	0	1	2	0
Totals	24	5	21	9	0

Hamilton .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
Portsmouth .... 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2

Two base hits—Donnelley, Weinberg, Edwards. Stolen bases—West 2. Double play—Bush to Locke. Sacrifice hits—West, Conwell. Bases on balls—Off Moore, 2. Struck out—By Bush, 2; by Moore, 2. Left on bases—Hamilton, 2; Portsmouth, 2. Umpires—Truby and Goehler.

May Trade Hunter

Now comes the story that in a few days Fred Hunter and Flynn of the Pirates are to figure in a trade. It is said that Hunter will go to St. Paul because owner Lennon favored the Pirates in the sale of O'Toole.

He has had a rather strenuous season of it in Piratetown and would welcome a change willingly. Hunter was recently hit in the face with a thrown ball and that is why he has been doing bench duty. His jaw bone was practically dislocated. When it comes to playing Bag No. 1 he has it all over Keene, McKenchnie and Flynn.

Offers $25,000 For O'Toole

It developed Saturday that Charley Comiskey offered $25,000 for Marty O'Toole, an hour after he had been peddled to the Pirates. O'Toole is scheduled to join Pittsburg next Thursday. He should help Clarke's crew handsomely.

SHOWING IS A POOR ONE

The Champs on their series in Hamilton won 3 games and dropped 3, a sorry showing against a tail-end club. Marion has lost only one game in Hamilton this year and Springfield two. The Hams have yet to put over a victory at Millbrook park and the Champs will take the season's series from this club.

KNOCKOUT BROWN TO FIGHT WELLS

Knockout Brown and Mat Wells, the English champion, have been matched to fight in New York in the next 30 days. They will weigh in at 133 at 3 o'clock. Brown is the lad who fought Wolgast two very fast fights last winter and more than held his own against the Michigan bear.

Akron May Cop the Flag

It begins to look very much like Akron for the 1911 O. & P. bunting. Youngstown is badly crippled and have only a Chinaman's chance to win the pennant. Akron is going along winning with a religious regularity. From here it looks like the Champs are the one best bet. The Youngstown Steelmen will chase them pretty hard, but Fohl's men seem to have the better break of things and are also playing a little better ball at this time.

TOO MUCH FOR TOGO

PIKETON FAIR COMES TO END

The Piketon fair came to a close Friday, and in point of good sport, attendance and other respects, was one of the most successful held in years.

Only a medium sized crowd attend Friday, but those who did were rewarded with one of the best racing programs of the meet.

Hattie B., owned by Billy Miles of this city, went an exhibition mile against 2:12 and made it in 2:09 3-4 thereby establishing a new track record for Piketon. She was driven by the owner's son, Mack Miles.

Jake Pfan's horse, Fletcher Burns, finished second in the 2:15 pace. He was driven by Nelson Haises, of Chillicothe, and certainly was in fine form.

Following is a complete summary of the day's events:

2:20 Trot.

Beatrice McKinney (George McTrea, New Holland, O., 5, 2, 1, 1, 1.
Lady Thorn, 4, 5, 1, 4, 4, 4.
Ninety R., 1, 1, 2, 2, 2.
Annie Elire, 3, 3, 3, 3, 3.
Waldorf, Jr., 2, 4, Dist.
Best time 2:19 1-4.

2:15 Pace.

Colonel W. (J. B. Willum, Vanceburg, Ky.) 1, 1, 1.
Fletcher Burns, 4, 2, 3.
Bonz, 2, 4, 5.
Elegant Boy, 5, 5, 2.
Mike Simmons, 3, 3, 4.
Best time 2:15 1-4.
Running Race—1-2 Mile Heat.
Maxdon (Jim McGue, Chillicothe. Soprano, Silver C., One More Time, 15 1-2.

A near-riot came near marring the final day of the fair, when Nelson Haines, who drove Jake Pfan's horse, was set upon and severely assaulted by Policeman Martin. Haines had tried to end a row between some horsemen, when Flagman Turner struck him with a pole. Haines jerked it from his hand when suddenly attacked by Martin, who it is said kicked him several times, after knocking him down. The crowd took sides, and only cooler heads prevented more serious trouble. Mr. Pfau was asleep in his automobile at the time of the trouble.

More excitement was created when the Piketon officers raided the refreshment stand at the fair grounds. This was in charge of W. A. Cunningham, of Newark, in whom the fair officials had had great confidence. The raiders confiscated 139 half-pints of whiskey, two suit cases full of quarts, a barrel of spiked cider and two cases of beer.

Word from Piketon Saturday, was that most of the winners and others were being shipped to Portsmouth for next week's fair here. A whole trainload of horses left for Portsmouth Saturday afternoon. The colored minstrel and Oriental dancers also came to Portsmouth Saturday morning.

J. M. Hannahs and "Shump" Staiger operated a white poodle dog concession during the Piketon fair, and reaped a harvest selling the toys.

George Swickert went to Piketon Friday after his horse, which he had driven up the day before. The animal had taken sick after the several hours' drive.

James Smith and family went up in their automobile. Dick Lorey and wife and a number of other Portsmouth persons also saw the windup.

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The Times has been holding the following communication for a day or two, for the sake of Sheridan's feelings, but today seems a good chance to use it:

Times:—For heaven's sake send for Sheridan. He's a Jonah for the team.—A Fan.

How about yesterday, Mr. Fan?

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Wants Board Bill Paid

A complaint was made to the police Saturday that James Dixon, an East Seventh street shoeworker, owes his grandmother a $6 board bill. Dixon is now boarding at the home of Harvey Lacy.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for kindness shewn us during the illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Charlotte Reeg.

Mrs. Adam Bobst,
Mrs. Joseph Blum,
Mr. George Reeg.

SHOE MEN GO TO ST. LOUIS

O. E. Rickey, J. E. Rickey and J. C. Montavon, all representing the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company, of St. Louis, Mo., leave today via the C. & O. to attend the semi-annual convention of Hamilton-Brown shoe salesmen.

The boys anticipate a great time and hope to return to Portsmouth full of enthusiasm and shoe knowledge.

Mr. A. D. Brown, the head of the Hamilton-Brown Company, is a past master in the art of selling shoes, and the salesmen are always benefited by the semi-annual over which he presides.

Metal Shutters Here.

The Portsmouth Hat Company Friday received the metal shutters with which it will equip its building.

Ed Walsh—The King

Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—"Ed Walsh is the greatest baseball pitcher of all time. He is the most wonderful slabbist that ever drew on a glove. After nearly five years of strenuous work to keep his club in the race for the pennant, he is as strong in every department of pitching as ever he was. This includes Mathewson and all the other celebrities considered in the running for the honors."

These words of praise were spoken by Manager Hugh Duffy when he was quizzed as to his premier slabbist's place among the pitchers in the world of baseball.

Manager Duffy referred specifically to Walsh's ability to stop batting rallies of any team and enable his club to win when defeat seemed imminent.

"Some think Walsh is not so good as formerly. They think he has slowed up. I cannot agree with them. In all his appearances this season after a short period of warming up to put him in condition, Walsh has pitched winning ball. The big fellow is the White Sox's main asset and if we had another one like him with out fighting batting talent I guess we would make things warm for the Athletics and Tigers.

"Considering everything that goes to make a winning pitcher, I think Walsh is easily the class of them all. He has the stamina, the control, the spit ball, the confidence and the speed to make him great."

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Ohio State League.
(First Game)
Portsmouth 3
Hamilton 2

(Second Game)
Portsmouth 2
Hamilton 1

Springfield 3
Chillicothe 0

Lancaster 7
Lima 1

Piqua 1
Marion 3

National League.
Pittsburg 5
Cincinnati 1

New York 6
Philadelphia 0

Boston 6
Brooklyn 3

American League.
(First Game)
Washington 3
New York 2

(Second Game)
Washington 3
New York 2

(First Game)
Philadelphia 11
Boston 5

(Second Game)
Boston 4
Philadelphia 3

American Association.
Columbus 8
Toledo 3

Indianapolis 7
Louisville 5

Minneapolis 5
Milwaukee 1

Kansas City 1
St. Paul 0

HOW THEY STAND.

Ohio State League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Springfield	71	44	.617
Marion	68	46	.596
Chillicothe	60	52	.536
Portsmouth	60	52	.536
Piqua	59	53	.527
Lima	50	64	.439
Lancaster	47	67	.402
Hamilton	39	74	.345

National League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	60	37	.619
Pittsburg	62	39	.614
New York	59	40	.596
Philadelphia	57	45	.559
St. Louis	56	45	.554
Cincinnati	45	54	.455
Brooklyn	38	62	.380
Boston	23	79	.225

American League.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	68	37	.648
Detroit	66	39	.629
Boston	55	52	.514
New York	55	53	.509
Cleveland	53	53	.500
Chicago	51	52	.495
Washington	41	61	.411
St. Louis	31	73	.298

American Association.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Kansas City	63	48	.568
Minneapolis	65	50	.566
Columbus	61	52	.540
St. Paul	55	57	.491
Milwaukee	54	61	.470
Indianapolis	53	62	.461
Toledo	52	62	.456
Louisville	51	62	.451

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Tennis Tourney Has Begun At Capital

Columbus, O., Aug. 12.—The schedule of play of the City Tennis tournament has been arranged and is given below. Play will begin Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock on the courts of the Columbus-Indianola Tennis Club in Indianola Park:

In singles at 2 o'clock: Curtis Sohl vs. Hugh Meek; winner to play Robert Mitchell; O. P. Linhart vs. Thomas H. Sheldon, J. E. Hagerty vs. C. M. Hinman, Bolt vs. R. B. Renner; winner to play S. W. McClelland; W. B. Cockly vs. Foster, E. G. Pease vs. Zuck.

At 3 o'clock: H. B. Halliday vs. D. C. Huddleson, M. L. Foote vs. Haddox, A. B. Nells vs. David Buehl, winner to play W. G. Spencer; G. H. Muehler vs. Moore, F. A. McElroy vs. R. W. Lee, W. H. Phelps vs. H. L. Thomas, L. E. White vs. Dudley Scott, winner to play G. C. Schaeffer.

At 4 o'clock: Hanby R. Jones vs. D. N. Postlewaites, J. W. Jeffrey vs. H. R. Campbell, J. R. Taylor vs. E. R. Halliday.

The play in doubles will not be scheduled until Saturday noon, as some of those who have entered have not yet selected their partners.

The preliminary matches will consist of the best two out of three sets. The semi-finals and finals will be the best three out of five sets. All players who are defeated in their first match in singles will be eligible for the consolations. Matches may be defaulted if players are not on the grounds thirty minutes after the time scheduled for the beginning of play. All plays will be governed by the rules of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association.

Matches will continue through next week. The semi-finals and finals will be played on Friday and Saturday of next week. The winner of the turnament will be expected to play C. H. Farber, winner of the 1910 tournament, who will defend the city championship title.

Ironton Ball Team Hard Up For Cash

Ironton, Aug. 12—That Ironton may be without a ball team within the next two days, is most probable, as one thing is certain, the club is for sale and out-of-town parties are now negotating for the purchase. Clyde Ingles of Gallipolis is interested in buying the franchise for Gallipolis, and three Ironton men, who are not willing to have their names published, are now dickering for the purchase of the franchise. Manager Heiner stated today that the club was about ready to be sold and that developments will probably arise by tomorrow. The sale price of the franchise, right of park, players, etc., is set at $1000 cash.

Manager Heiner stated that Mr. Benny and himself were desirous of selling the club to Ironton patrons, as taking the club out of town would not be considered the best policy just now. However, the present owners desire the money immediately in order to pay the players and straighten things out; both being determined to withdraw from active baseball work.

Adultery Is Charged

In divorce proceedings instituted in the Scioto county common pleas court Saturday by Attorney W. B. Sprague on behalf of Mary Hastings, adultery and wilful absence are the grounds alleged upon which the wife seeks to obtain a legal separation from her husband, John Hastings, whose present whereabouts are unknown.

The couple were married July 24, 1899, and have two children, Mildred, 10 and Paul, 4, who the wife asks she be awarded.

RIVER NEWS

There is not much prospect for the river men who have been unable to work the greater part of this summer, because of low water. A rise of a foot or two is reported every few days and then a fall comes which keeps the boats to the shores.

This afternoon the river at the local wharf was three feet and stationary.

The Teddy will leave at 5 o'clock Sunday morning for Huntington.

The Thealka will leave Monday morning for Maysville, Ky.

Kentucky Visitor.

C. L. Brewer, of Greenup, Ky., is the guest of his brother-in-law, J. J. Baxter, of East Gallia street.

TO IMPROVE HOUSE

Merle Duduit, who recently purchased Sam P. Baird's residence on East Second street, is going to modernize it throughout. Among the improvements will be a spacious porch. Mr. Duduit will not occupy the house, having bought it as an investment.

CAPT. WILLIAMS IS PAID HONOR

Captain W. H. Williams, of this city, has been honored with an appointment as aide on the staff of General W. S. Matthews, department commander of Ohio. With the appointment the Commander heartily commends the earnest work of Captain Williams in behalf of the cause of the Grand Army.

MORE ENTRIES FOR RACES

Several more entries for the local races which had been delayed reaching Secretary Tynes through many been sent to W. A. McGeorge at Mt. Joy were added to the list Saturday.

The additional entrants are 2:30 pace, Lauretta, Austin Rader, Circleville.

Moko Elder, Ralph Calvert, Portsmouth. Calvert has also entered his speedy nag in the 2:21 pace and 2:24 pace, while the Circleville entrant will start in the latter event.

Silver Queen, owned by John Besco, Mt. Oreb, will race the barrier in the 2:30 and 2:24 trots and Little Mary, J. M. Lynn, of Charleston, W. Va., will contest in the 2:20 and 2:24 trots.

POSTPONE BUILDING

Nothing is to be done in the matter of erecting a new United Brethren church until after conference, which meets at Lancaster on September 6. Rev. Howard pastor of the church stated to the Times Saturday that so many other things were being done now that the matter of a new building would not be taken up until the latter part of September.

Harry Hastings, plaintiff, vs John Hastings, Defendant.

The defendant will take notice, that the plaintiff has filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Scioto County, Ohio, praying for divorce from defendant upon the grounds of adultery and wilful absence, and asking for the custody of their minor children, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 23rd day of September, 1911.

W. B. SPRAGUE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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FARRAR BOUND OVER FOLLOWING A HEARING

After the evidence was all in and the arguments of Prosecutor Small and Attorney E. C. Powell finished in the hearing held Friday afternoon of Grover Farrar, Jackson county man arrested on a charge of assault with intent to rob, 'Squire Byron held that the evidence produced by the state was sufficient to hold the defendant to the grand jury under a bond of $300.

The testimony of the state's witnesses as to the identification of the accused appeared extremely uncertain, except Lucy Anderson, the colored woman, and Jerry Williams. The others, even the prosecuting witness, James Goodpaster, would go no further than to state that the defendant bore a general resemblance to the man who made the assault on July 20.

When the state had rested the accused took the stand in his own behalf and told a story of having come to Portsmouth on July 5, later taking a job and working for the Smith Lumber Company, which he quit on Saturday, July 15, and on the following Monday left this city, going to his home.

He gave minute details of stealing his way on a B. & O. freight train, of his arrival home and his movements up to the time of his arrest.

He stated he was at home on the night of the 19th of July and spent the entire morning of the 20th, when the assault is alleged to have occurred, playing pedro with several of his associates of Davisville, a little mining town between Jackson and Coalton.

The testimony of the defendant was substantiated by four witnesses: Charles Reynolds, Clyde Brown, Roy Elsnagle, Ed. Coffman and Ira Pile, all miners and citizens of the little mining town, who stated on the witness stand with certainty that Farrar was at home on July 19 and 20, most of them recalling the date from the fact that a woman living in the vicinity died on the first date.

Attorney Powell went on the bond, together with Andrew Leslie, brother-in-law of the defendant, who resides in this city, and Farrar was released last night. He returned home Saturday morning with his counsel and witnesses from that section.

Notice to Teachers.

The Portsmouth City Board of School Examiners will conduct an examination of applicants for city teachers' certificates, in the Union street school building on August 24, 25 and 26, 1911. All persons send the clerk of the board written notice of that fact at once.

FRANK APPELz, Clerk.
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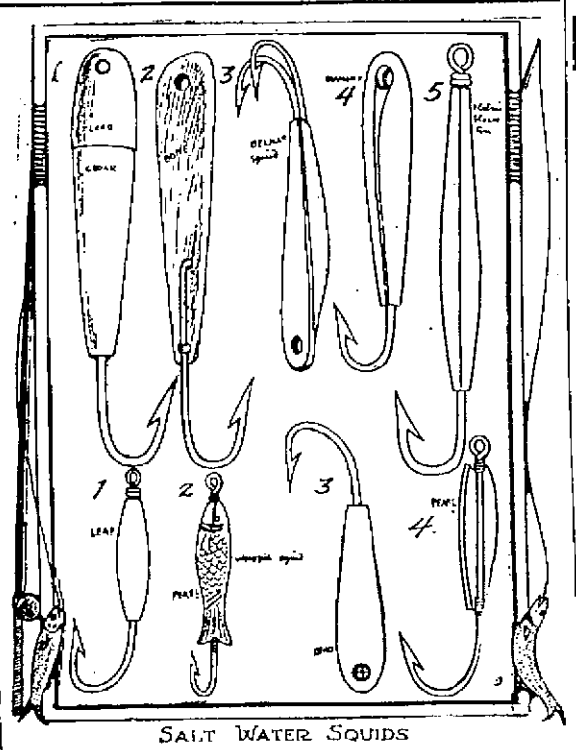
ANGLING IN LAKE, RIVER AND SEA

By Louis Rhead.



SALT WATER SQUIDS

BY LOUIS RHEAD

Salt Water Trolling with Squid and Live Bait.

Trolling in the open sea and in bays is made easier since the advent of the motorboat, which enables one to go at any speed required, stop at once and turn without difficulty compared to what is possible by a sail or rowboat. In trolling for bluefish you need a rapid pace and the greatest advantage of all is you can slide along on a calm surface where a sail boat would be useless. Very large fish are taken by trolling a hundred to a thousand feet from shore. The angler trolls with a special heavy hand line, to which is tied a 7 O, 8 O, or even 9 O hook set in a squid, a solid block of lead or bone and cedar. These squids are for sale in tackle shops. I find the old style squid much more effective than the later designs. You may spin the launch along at a ten mile gait, throw out your squid two hundred feet away, then wait for this savage fish to strike and hook itself. Be prepared with good stout woolen gloves. To haul in a big kicking blue is no fun, but solid, hard labor. Never give slack line. The fish is bound to run deep, suddenly flash above the surface, then hurl itself head first back to the brine.

While the big striped bass is less savage than the bluefish it will often display much greater ingenuity to escape. Striped bass feed in a variety of depths, either nosing at the bottom for worms and crabs or near the surface for spearing or moss bunkers.

To get them near the bottom go slow and weight your bait. The hook required for bass depends upon the size of fish, running from 7 O down to 4 O sproat. Trolling in bays for smaller sized bass and bluefish you may use a variety of baits, four inch minnows, lobster's tail, hermit crabtail, or half of shoddar crab. Spoons with bucktail fly attachments are good. Troll at a four mile clip; have 105 feet of line out. Keep near weeds, sod banks, grass or rocks that furnish hiding places for minnows and other fish food; also near the border and between rapids and deep eddies caused by intercepting rocks.

A HUNTINGTON MAN SUICIDES

Huntington, Aug. 12—Another suicide was added to this city's long list Friday night when H. H. Weymouth, 27, son of Fred A. Weymouth, shot himself through the head with a revolver. Weymouth was in good health, seemed cheerful and there is no known reason for his act.

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Columbus Visitor.

Ike Farley, a former resident of Portsmouth, now engaged in business in Columbus, is here for a few days.

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Accused Of Selling Liquor To Two Men

Albert Harrison, who has been running a soft drink establishment at South Portsmouth, will be tried this evening at 5 o'clock before 'Squire Brickey on a charge of selling intoxicating liquors to Dick Parson and John S. Sparks.

It is said that Parsons and Sparks visited Harrison's place a few nights ago and Harrison ejected them from his premises. The two men then went before 'Squire Brickey and swore out a warrant for the owner.

It was Harrison's place that was recently burned to the ground in South Portsmouth, but he has since erected a new building.

Improving Bijou

The proprietors of the Bijou Theatre have installed a compensator in their moving picture machine. This is the latest invention to make the light steady and clear. This is but one of a score of innovations which will be put in by the enterprising proprietors.

Injured In Fall.

Mrs. Frank Feigley, of 226 East Fourth street, fell the full length of the stairs Friday morning, sustaining a badly sprained back and bruises about the body.

Can Speak After 17 Years

Following a period of sickness, Judge A. H. Parker of Vanceburg, Ky., who lost his voice by partial paralysis seventeen years ago, has just recovered his speech. He has a son eighteen years old who does not remember hearing him speak before, and has many friends who never heard him speak. He is plain agent for the Columbia Gas and Electric Company, and is well known in Cincinnati.

Claims "Unk" Slapped Him

John Parlow complained to the police that Gus, better known as "Unk" Uhl, had slapped him without any provocation.

Back At Hospital.

Miss Porter has returned to the Hempstead hospital after a pleasant vacation spent with relatives at her old home in Kenova. Miss Porter also visited Natural Bridge and other points in Virginia.

AUTOS COLLIDE, NO ONE IS HURT

The corner of Eleventh and Findlay streets was the scene of an auto collision Friday evening, which fortunately was not attended with any serious results.

William Gims and son, Carl, were coming south on Findlay in his car. Following close behind was John Jordan in his automobile. Both prepared to turn up Eleventh, but in rounding the corner, Mr. Jordan was unable to check his machine and crashed into the rear of the one ahead, forcing it up against the curb. The occupants escaped with a severe shaking up, and after a few minutes Mr. Gims was able to resume his trip. The Jordan machine escaped damage entirely.

FINE PROGRAM FOR PARK CONCERT

The following program will be given by the River City band at Millbrook park, Sunday evening:

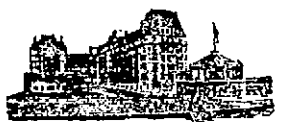
March, "The Chicago Tribune," ..... Chambers
Haviland's Melodies..... Halle
Overture, "Zampa"..... Harold
(a) Porto Rican Dance, "Rosita" ..... Missud
(b) "The Red Rose Rag".... ..... Wenrich
Selections from "Alma, Where Do You Live"..... Biquet
The Chocolate Soldier Waltzes ..... Strauss
Finale, March, "Grandioso"... ..... Seitz

TRIPS OVER VALISE.

While boarding a B. & O. S.-W. train early Saturday morning, Frank Newcomb, who said he lived in Huntington, tripped over his valise and fell backwards, hitting the ground on his right shoulder. The shoulder was wrenched and Newcomb sustained a number of bruises.

Has Gone East To Buy Goods

Charles N. Anderson, of the Anderson-Newcomb Company has gone to New York City for a ten days' stay and while there will purchase a handsome line of fall goods for the early season trade of the Third avenue store. He was accompanied by Mrs. Anderson, who will visit friends in the east.—Huntington Herald-Dispatch.



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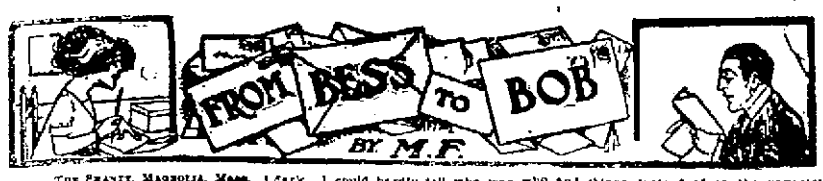


THE SEANTY, MAGNOLIA, Mass.

Dear Bob:—

THE beach here is a splendid one, and is simply crowded with men on Saturday and Sundays. And, believe me, Bob, some Boston men are certainly attractive! They are nearly all from "Harva'd," and are rather spoiled and rude if allowed to be, but they do look nice in their swim suits. They pay much more attention to getting a tan than any men I've ever seen, and will lie on the sands suffering tortures in irons, for hours. Then they'll get up

THE BEACH IS A SPLENDID ONE

and cover themselves with salt water, and try it over again. The result is that they have learned to cook themselves so well they are the most heavenly dark brown.

It was rather confusing to me when I first saw them all by daylight, as I had never seen any of them except in the dark. I could hardly tell who was who, and was terribly afraid of making a mistake.

Violet used to spend her summers here before she married Tom, and used to stay at one of the hotels. She said Tom fell desperately in love at first sight, but she said he would never dream of coming into the hotel to get her. He used to sit outside on the piazza railing every evening and wait until she walked by. She always walked by, as it was all right.

Whenever we go over to the Oceanfront to dance we can always see dark clouds of men sitting together outside in groups. They shun the light and like to sit in very dark corners. Vi says before she married Tom she stared at the only hotel that had a bar. They used to sneak in the back way by droves, and sometimes, after being fortified, would come boldly and daringly out the front way, right in the very faces of all the old ladies.

They're not very keen for dancing, and prefer to look on through the windows. Sometimes one of them will break away and ask a girl to dance, and then all the others follow suit, and she'll have the time of her life.

Of course there are a lot of unattractive pills that are always hanging around and are ready to bask in the electric light with any one, but then who wants to bask with them? It is to find favor with the charming and exclusive piazza railing young men that is the secret ambition of every visiting young girl's heart. They trail by in their best sweeps, trying to look unconscious, while dead silence reigns from the dakest corners and the eyes of Boston's choicest are criticising every step.

The leader this year who sets the fashion in girls is a Harvard man named Arthur Meade. As he is very particular and admires very few, most of the girls here have had to import their beaux.

I felt rather nervous the first evening we went over to the Oceanfront to dance. There seemed to be such crowds of dark coats and white flannel trousers glaring at me as I walked by with that little Brazilian man who's visiting the Draytons. It was rather odd, as three or four of them started to follow me around. They were very respectful and kept at quite a distance, but I was perfectly conscious that that was what they were doing. They kept it up all evening, and when we walked back they sneaked after us, only through people's places and over fences and things, instead of on the pavement. I felt as if they were Indians.

When we arrived home they climbed in the side way somehow and got hold of Tom and begged him to introduce them. And when we finally got on the front porch, there they all were, waiting with Tom. I was dreadfully bewildered. I've had a lovely time ever since, except that I don't admire Arthur very much, and as soon as the rest of them discovered he was becoming attentive to me they didn't come near me.

Vi says that might last for a whole

SHE ALWAYS WALKED BY

season, unless Arthur wearied of me, in which case one of the others might try me. Vi says when she was here before she was married, the other girls at the hotel where she was staying, knowing she knew the most desirable men and seeing them coming out from the bar all the time, used to become positively pathetic in their appeals to her to introduce them. Of course she couldn't, as none of them had intimated that they desired to meet the girls.

If she had bored Tom in that way she might have lost him. She says it was an awful nervous strain, and finally the other girls decided she was a cat.

It was a hard position for her to be placed in, wasn't it?

Yours as ever, BESS.

State House Talk

Columbus, O., Aug. 12.—The friction which resulted Thursday night at Toledo, in the resignation of Dr. Charles O. Probst as secretary of the state board of health, a position which he has held for 25 years, began December 28 of last year, when the board, having been changed in political complexion from Republican to Democratic through the appointment by Governor Harmon in January, 1910, of Dr. John W. Hill, of Cincinnati, dismissed eleven employes of the board, including the chief of the laboratory, the inspectors of maternity hospitals and several clerks and stenographers. This caused the cry of politics to be raised, and even the tenure of Dr. Probst, who is a Republican, was raised. The question of whether or not the secretary of the board was a member or an employe of the board, and whether his tenure was indefinite or subject to definite and limited appointment, was put up to the attorney general, but the opinion rendered was that he was not a member of the board, but an employe.

Last January, two Democrats and one Republican were appointed to succeed three Republican members, this making the board Democratic five to two. On June 1 the board elected Dr. Probst for a term of one year only, something which had never been done before, as the secretary of the board had theretofore been serving indefinitely. This was one of the chief reasons for Dr. Probst's resignation, and is mentioned in the statement given out by him Friday. He says it would be absolutely impossible, even if he were unhampered, to carry out broad and definite policies requiring time, which is absolutely essential in public health work. Dr. Probst also says that he has not been permitted to carry on the work along the lines he thought best for the state's welfare.

The best years of his life have been given by Dr. Probst to the public service and the conservation of the public health. He has achieved an enviable reputation, and has become a national figure in public health work. Many high honorary offices have been conferred upon him in recognition of his worth. He has been president of several national health organizations and is a director on the boards of many other national bodies.

His resignation takes effect on September 30, and shortly after that date he will go abroad for a year and then return to Columbus and take up the practice of medicine.

Democratic politicians around the capital profess to see a special significance in the fact that William Jennings Bryan, who comes to Columbus Monday to address the Democrats at their big picnic at Olentangy park, will be entertained while here at the home of Harvey C. Garber, Democratic national committeeman. Garber has long been known as a pronounced and bitter enemy of Governor Harmon, and that he could not some friendly Democrat would have been chosen to be host to the "Great Commoner" has caused vast surprise and no end of talk. There are many state officials, friendly to the Governor, who would have been glad of the chance to entertain Mr. Bryan during his stay here. The committee in charge of the big rally are absolutely silent as to any explanation for the arrangement.

Bryan will arrive in Columbus Sunday evening, and a public reception will be held from 9 until 11 Monday morning.

Rumor has it, and it is pretty generally accepted, that Charles H. Wirmel, state commissioner of labor statistics, will be appointed within the next few days to succeed William E. Haswell, who vacates the position of chief examiner of stationary engineers on August 15, to become secretary to the new state board of control. Mr. Wirmel now draws $3,000 a year, and the new position will mean an increase of $1,200, that being the amount fixed as chairman of the board of boiler examiners, which he will also hold under the law. A Hoss Reed, now chief clerk to Mr. Wirmel, is mentioned as his possible successor.

The state bureau of accounting, which has just finished its examination of the state library, made because of the retirement of Librarian Charles H. Galbraith, finds that there are 150,837 volumes in the library, or 1,181 more than had been expected. The examiners make no comment on the condition of the library, but seem to have found everything in pretty good shape. Practically the only things missing were some letters of Arthur St. Clair, governor of the old Northwest Territory. The legislature 40 years ago authorized the purchase of all the documents, letters, etc., of Governor St. Clair. Some of these were found missing in checking over the list, and their whereabouts is apparently unknown. Blake.

Columbus, Ohio, August 12—The reprieve for Charles Justice, Greene county murderer, received by long distance telephone from Charlevoix, Mich., where Governor Harmon is staying, came as a great surprise, since it was not generally believed that the governor would again interfere with the course of the law. Probably no one was more surprised than the doomed man himself. He had given up hope, and was about resigned to his fate; indeed, his resignation amounted almost to indifference.

Justice, who is 42 years of age, is a notoriously bad character, and is probably better known at the penitentiary than anywhere else. He has served several terms for various offenses. His first commitment to the state prison was from Greene county in 1889, to serve a year for burglary and larceny, and he was returned shortly after his release to serve another year for grand larceny. In 1902, he was received at the prison to serve a 20-year sentence in April, 1910, Justice being released after srving eight years of his sentence. His stay in prison profited him nothing, however, and it was only a few months until he was back under the state's care, for committing the crime for which he was to have paid the penalty in the electric chair shortly after midnight Thursday night. Justice killed Joseph Shoup, a Greene county farmer, who caught him while in the act of robbing his chicken coop.

The governor has twice before granted Justice a stay of electrocution. The first day set was March 31, 1911, the next June 23, the next Aug. 11 and the reprieve received Thursday postpons the date until September 23d. The governor gives as his reason for extending the time, that he desires to investigate more fully to determine if there shall be a commutation of sentence. Justice is a Negro, although it is difficult to detect it by his looks.

The state will lose its suits against former State Treasurers W. S. McKinnin and Isaac B. Cameron, brought for the purpose of charging the estate of the former and the property of the latter with nearly $150,000, alleged to have been secured by the illegal use of state funds while they were in office, unless the finding of Judge E. B. Dillon, of Columbus, is reversed in the upper courts. An entry was filed Thursday morning, dismissing the suit for $18,995, against the McKinnon estate and his bondsmen, on the grounds that a cause of action had not been established. The other suits against the two men depend upon the action of the circuit court in the case dismissed.

Arthur I. Vorys, Ohio member of the Republican national committee, has it all settled that neither Woodrow Wilson nor Champ Clark will be the Democratic nominee for president. According to Mr. Vorys, it all depends upon who controls the Democratic national convention. If the South and the conservatives have the upper hand, Governor Harmon will be nominated; if the radicals are in control, William Jennings Bryan will be the nominee. Taft is picked by Mr. Vorys as the certain choice of the Republicans.

Governor Harmon is having a good time at Charlevoix, Mich., his summer home, resting up for the hard campaign which will soon be in full swing. He is probably doing considerable thinking while he spends the days playing golf, hunting and fishing. About the most important official duty on the governor's hands right now is the appointment of a man to succeed Wm. E. Haswell as chief examiner of the state department of stationary engineers. It is understood that he has about decided upon the appointment.

The governor has been able this summer to enjoy an uninterrupted rest, in striking contrast to his vacation of last year, when he was twice forced to hurry back to Columbus, once because of the Newark lynching and again on account of the rioting during the Columbus street car strike.

The new pay-patient law, requiring relatives of insane persons to pay their board in the state hospitals, if they are able to do so, is held responsible for the fact that there are 2000 inmates of these institutions whose relatives or friends are unknown. In case of the death of a patient, an effort is always made to locate relatives of the victim, who will take charge of the body. It is charged that in many cases relatives or friends purposely fail to keep the state informed of their whereabouts. BLAKE.

RECIPES

Following a heavy dinner the lighter desserts are often preferred. Children, as a rule, are highly pleased by a custard gelatine or whipped cream dish, all of which are harmless and easily digested.

Blanc Mange.

Put a quart of sweet milk into a double boiler, allow to come to a boil and add four beaten eggs, four tablespoonsful of corn starch and a half cup of milk stirred together. Cook for a few minutes. Dip cups in cold water, fill with custard and when set turn it out to sour with whipped or sweet cream. Fruit juices make a delicious sauce.

Floating Island.

Beat the yolks of six fresh eggs with a small cup of sugar and add to a quart of scalding milk in a double boiler. Flavor with lemon or vanilla, but do not allow to boil. When cool beat the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, sweeten with two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Line a dish with almond macaroons, pour over them the custard and heap on the beaten whites.

Whipped Cream Cake.

Take pieces of cake that have become a trifle stale. Cover them with a generous portion of cream whipped to a stiff froth and flavored with almond extract. Dot with halves of English walnuts.

Maple Custard.

Beat five eggs until a spoonful can be lifted without stringing. Add a half cupful of maple syrup, a saltspoonful of salt, stir well; add three cupfuls of milk and strain into a mould. Wet the inside of the cups with cold water. Set in a pan of hot water to bake, but do not allow the water to boil after the custard is placed in it.

Mrs. Fred Cleave and daughter, of Cincinnati, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kirby, of Robinson avenue.

THE FLIES' REVENGE

Ten little flies
All in a line;
One got a swat!
Then there were x x x x x x x x
Nine little flies
Grimly sedate,
Licking their chops—
Swat! There were x x x x x x x
Eight little flies
Raising some more—
Swat! Swat! Swat! Swat!
Then there were x x x x
Four little flies
Colored green-blue!
Swat! (Ain't it easy!)
Then there were x x
Two little flies
Dodged the civilian—
Early next day
There were a million!
—Buffalo News

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE.

In pursuance of an order of the probate court of Scioto County, Ohio, made on the 11th day of August A. D. 1911 in the case of George E. Kricker, administrator against the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of Michael O'Connell deceased, I will offer for sale at public auction on the 16th day of September A. D. 1911 at 1 o'clock p. m. at the door of the court house in the City of Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, the following described real estate, situate in the Township of Rush, County of Scioto and State of Ohio, to-wit:

First Tract—Being a part of Robert Ellison's Survey No. 2593 in the Virginia Military District, beginning at a stone in the line of Wm. Ducas' lands; thence North 78¾ degrees East 30 poles to a stone; thence North 12½ degrees E. 38 poles to a white oak and black oak sapling; thence North 78 degrees W. 41 poles to a stone in the original line of said Survey No. 2593; thence S. 1 degree E. 61 poles to the beginning, containing 13½ acres be the same more or less, excepting 2½ acres sold to Ponsos' and also 1 acres sold to Henry Demint.

Second Tract—Being a part of Robert Ellison's Survey No. 2593, beginning at a stone in the Southeast corner of the garden; thence East along the Turnpike 15 poles to a stone in the line of Arthur Deimint and Eckhart; thence North with said line 22 poles to a stone in the back line of Arthur Demint's land; thence West with said back line 25 poles to a stone; thence in a southerly course 23 poles to a stone near the house; thence in an easterly course 7 poles to a stone about 10 feet south of an apple tree; thence in a southerly course 6 poles to the beginning, containing 4 acres more or less, and being the same premises which were conveyed to said Theophilus J. Vernier by John H. Demint by deed dated January 31st, 1901 and recorded on page 389, Vol. 68 of the Record of Deeds of Scioto County, Ohio.

Appraised value $510.
Terms of sale cash.
GEORGE E. KRICKER,
Administrator of the Estate of Michael O'Connell, deceased. 12 5wk

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Mayor.

Editor Times:—I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Mayor of Portsmouth, subject to the primary. I stand for the advancement and improvement of our city and the enforcement of the laws as enacted by the general assembly of our state. If nominated and elected, I will endeavor to unite and harmonize the party by giving all Republicans fair consideration, without regard to any faction or any organization, and will devote my entire time to the interests of the city.

E. W. Pfeiffer.

To The Citizens of Portsmouth:

I will be a candidate before the Democratic Primary for nomination for Mayor of Portsmouth, and respectfully solicit your support for this high honor. If successful therein and at the ensuing election I pledge my very best efforts to continue to give the city a fair and economical administration, and such as will mark a continuance of past efforts for equal justice to all our citizens and a full and just return for every dollar spent by the Peerless City.

H. C. SEARGY.

Editor Times:

Please announce that I am a Candidate for the nomination of Mayor of the City of Portsmouth subject to the action of the Republican Primary, to be held Tuesday, September 5th; if nominated and elected, I shall endeavor at all times to administer the duties of the office according to the statutes, always bearing in mind, the welfare of Portsmouth and her people.

FRED N. TYNES.

I will be a candidate for the nomination for mayor of Portsmouth subject to the decision of the Democratic primary, to be held September 5th, and respectfully solicit the support of the Democrats of the city. If nominated and elected I will do my best to give the city an honest, economical government.

WILLIAM GERGENS, SR.

I will be a candidate for the nomination for mayor of the city of Portsmouth subject to the decision of the Democratic primary to be held Sept. 5th and respectfully solicit the support of the voters of this city.

GEO. H. SCHNEIDER.

I will be a candidate before the Democratic primary for nomination for Mayor of Portsmouth, and respectfully solicit your support.

Sanford Linck.

I am a candidate for the nomination for Mayor subject to the decision of the Democratic primary. If nominated and elected I will fill the office to the best of my ability.

Charles Pfau.

City Solicitor.

Editor Times: —

Please announce that I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for Solicitor of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

MARK A. CRAWFORD

Editor Times:—Please announce to the Democratic voters of the city that I am a candidate for the nomination for city solicitor, subject to the decision of the primary to be held September 5th. I respectfully solicit the support of all Democrats, and if nominated and elected, will make every effort to successfully meet the requirements of the office.

H. Stanley McCall.

The undersigned is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for City Solicitor. His platform consists of economy, efficiency and honesty in the administration of city affairs.

James S. Thomas.

To the Voters of Portsmouth, O.:

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for the office of City Solicitor, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries to be held September 5, 1911. Your support will be appreciated.

William R. Sprague.

Justice of the Peace

Editor Times:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for justice of the peace, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

Francis T. Moreland.

Councilman at Large.

Editor Times:—Please announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of councilman-at-large, subject to the decision of the Republican primaries September 5.

John Moeller.

Council

To the Republicans of the Third Ward:

I am a candidate for member of council from the Third Ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

HARRY FLOWERS.

Editor Times:

Please announce that I am a candidate for councilman from the Fourth Ward subject to the will of the Republicans at the primary, September 5th.

Christian Hess.

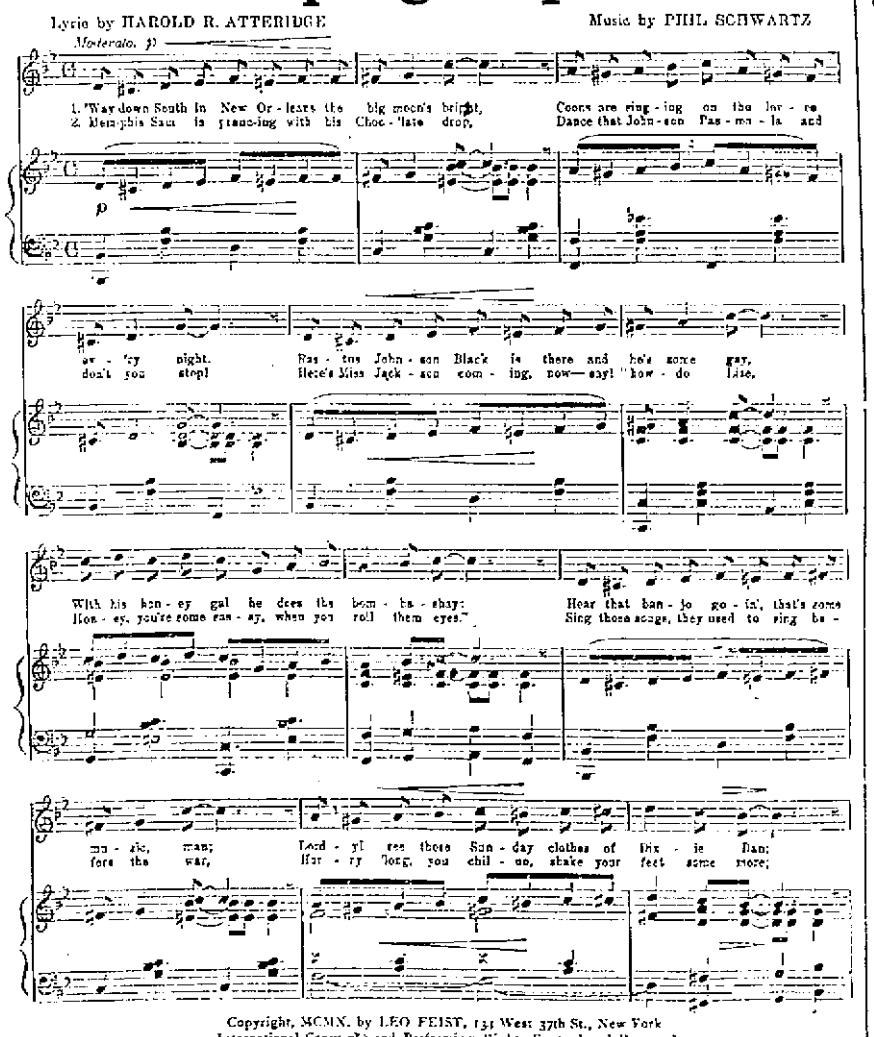
The Daily Times Saturday Song Hit.

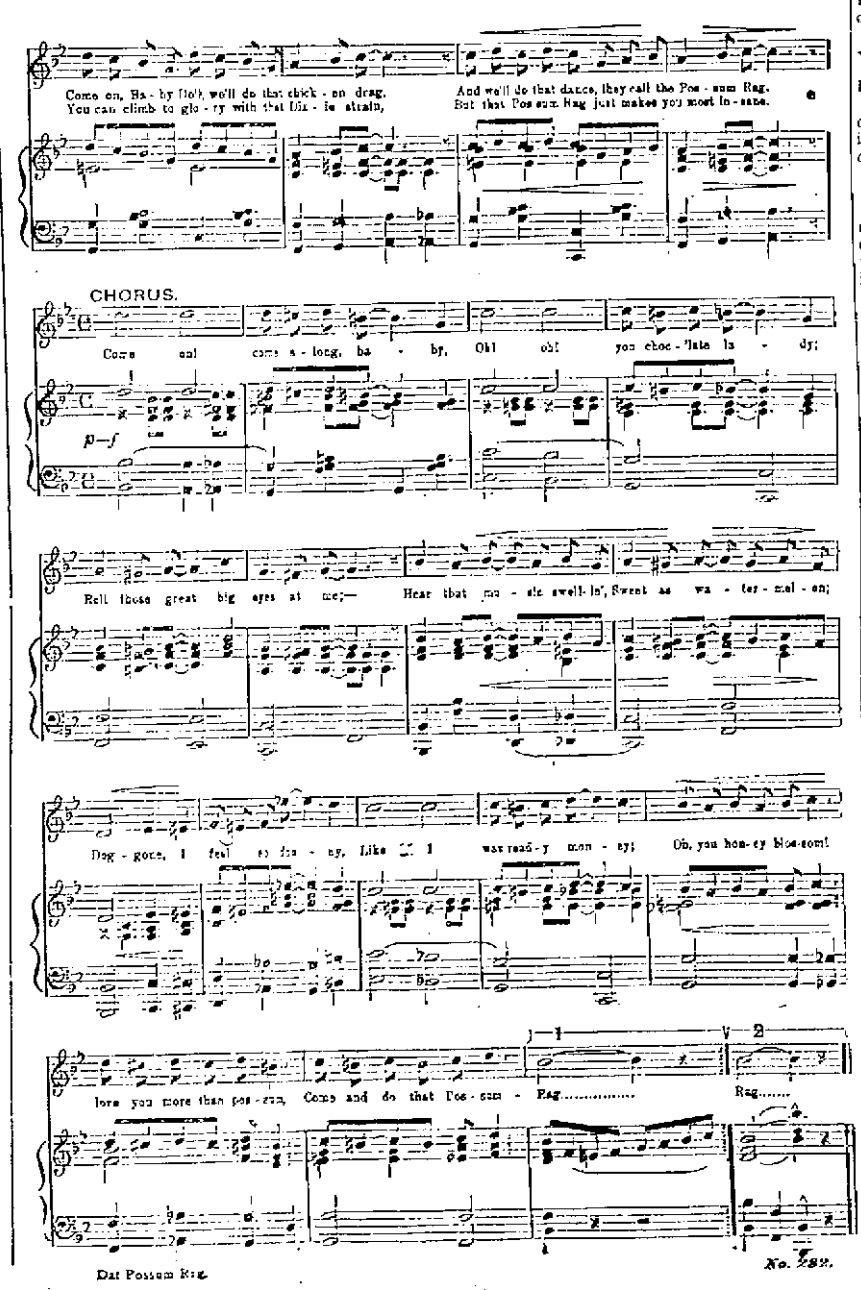
"DAT" POSSUM RAG

The Character Song Hit from FRAZEE & LEDERER'S Presentation of RICHARD CARLE in

"Jumping Jupiter"

Lyric by HAROLD R. ATTERIDGE — Music by PHIL SCHWARTZ





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"SUMMER DAYS"—The Summer Song Hit
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Dat Possum Rag. No. 282.

COUNCIL PLANS FOR ANNEXED DISTRICT

The public needs of East Portsmouth and other newly annexed sections were given considerable attention by city council at its caucus meeting Friday evening.

Water service for the suburb was one of the important matters taken up. Under a former administration and soon after the N. & W. shops were located here, a six-inch main was run from Kendall avenue along the company right of way and up Norfolk street to the fire plug in front of the Y. M. C. A. building. The theory was that any time the N. & W.'s own supply failed, the company would draw on the city supply and pay accordingly. While there is some question as to the rights and liabilities of both parties and Water Works Superintendent Earl Lawson and City Engineer J. I. Hudson suggested that if possible it would be well to connect onto this main. It would serve all purposes and as it is generally believed that the new water works will be located above Sciotoville, the officials did not think it advisable to lay a new main along the Gallia pike, for once the new plant is built, the main supply line wil be run down Gallia pike anyway, and will supply Sciotoville, New Boston and East Portsmouth. All agreed it would be an advantage to make the existing main supply East Portsmouth for the present. It is fed from a four-inch main at Robinson avenue and Young street, and Superintendent Lawson suggested that this four-inch main from that corner to Kendall avenue be replaced with a six-inch main. It would mean a big saving all around and the matter was left to City Solicitor J. W. Thomas to find out just what conditions are. In any event East Portsmouth is to get water service.

The light committee announced it would make another trip before fully determining upon locations for new lights in the annexed territory. About twenty lights will be recommended, and one will be placed forthwith at Gallia and Linden avenues, for which council received a strong petition.

Service will be reported completed on Ninth street, Early-town, and waivers on Franklin avenue. Bids for the latter improvement will be immediately advertised for and contracts awarded by the last week in August. This will complete the twelve streets under way this year, and City Engineer Hudson expressed the firm belief all will be finished before the bad weather season sets in.

The sum of $817 was ordered appropriated for the purchase of six-inch water mains still needed to complete the service on Franklin avenue, and it will be laid before the paving is commenced.

Appropriations of $1,128 for an extension of the Court street sanitary sewer to the rear of the Empire hotel and $253 for the Green's Row sewer exhausted the sewer fund, but if the city can draw on some other fund those petitioned for by Cecil Miller and others east from Adams to Kendall avenue between Seventh and Eighth, and west from Lincoln between Eleventh and Twelfth, will also be built this year. The present administration has built every sewer petitioned for this year.

The matter of vacating the alley bounded by Gay and Chillicothe and Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, and all of the abutting property which is owned by The E. G. Nave Company, will be up for hearing Wednesday night. The committee having it in charge will recommend the passage of the ordinance.

The solicitor submitted a letter from Judge J. W. Bannon, in which he says he will not agree to the running of an N. & W. switch over his farm land to the Portsmouth Chemical Company's plant, as planned. It was referred back to the Chemical Company, and it is believed the company and Judge Bannon will be able to settle the matter between themselves.

Messrs. J. S. Thomas and John Wilhelm submitted a plat of their 17-acre tract east of Lawson's Run and opposite the eastern extremity of Jackson avenue. It showed 27 lots and a street laid out. Council will inspect the tract and if agreeable, pass an ordinance accepting the plat.

Grandma's Advice.

Many articles of wearing apparel, table linens, bedding, towels and other materials, are ruined long before their time. If these things did not have to be washed they would wear much longer, but the common, strong, yellow soaps so generally used, are full of rosin and free alkali that eat and eat into the fabrics, enabling them to tear with the slightest strain.

Just try Hewitt's Easy Task Soap—made of coconut oil, borax, naphtha and clean tallow. It handles the dirt in a hurry, but doesn't harm fabrics, and then, too, it costs but a nickel.

Rev. Chase Is Back At Home

Rev. Freeman Chase, of the Free Baptist church, has returned home from Gallia county and will hold his usual services in the church tomorrow, administering the holy communion at the morning service.

Rev. Chase attended the yearly conference of the Baptist church as corresponding delegate from this district.

Falls Victim To Thieves.

S. W. Beads, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia. 25c. At the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

HINZE WAS DISMISSED

Tracy Hinze, the West Side young married man and former army "regular" arrested on a charge of failure to provide for his child as he was about to give the tot away to strangers to rid himself of the obligation, was dismissed in probate court Saturday.

It is said Hinze and his wife have become reconciled and that all is well between them now.

Got Exhibits At Vanceburg

Secretary W. A. McGeorge of the local fair board, spent Friday at the Vanceburg fair and succeeded in securing a number of stock exhibitors to bring their show animals here.

Mr. McGeorge says that a splendid crowd of about 2000 was present at the fair on the closing day, and taken all in all the exhibition was highly satisfactory in every way.

Rarden Saw Mill Damaged By Fire

But for the timely discovery of a smoldering fire at the spoke works and saw mill plant operated by Freeman and Wallace and A. J. Bleekman at Rarden, that village undoubtedly would have experienced a bad conflagration Friday night.

The origin of the fire is thought to have started from sparks from the boiler room alighting in the saw dust between the thick walls, one side of which is sheet iron.

The fire had probably been smoldering for several hours as a big hole was burned in the inside wall and the building was filled with smoke when discovered at 8 o'clock p. m.

The alarm was promptly sounded and the volunteer firemen though experiencing some difficulty in reaching the fire on account of smoke and soon extinguished the blaze with a small loss.

Several thousand dollars worth of manufactured stock was in the the adjoining buildings and it is fortunate the fire was discovered before the population of the town had retired as they would not have been able to cope with it had the flames gained greater headway.

INSURE WITH MARVIN CLARK
OPERA HOUSE BLDG.

THEATRICAL

"The Girl of My Dreams" was the first musical comedy to make its appearance on Broadway this season. John Hyams and Julia McIntyre are the stars. It is a clever show and is in for a good run.

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"The Price" is George Broadhurst's latest comedy drama, and it is to be presented in New York next Monday night.

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Fred K. Stone, of the famous team of Montgomery and Stone, recently killed two bears in Greenland.

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Christie MacDonald is to be starred again next year in "The Spring Maid." It will resume its New York engagement early in September.

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Gertrude Quinlan has been engaged to support Lew Fields this year in "The Hen Pecks." She is a dazzling comic opera star.

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"Little Miss Fix It" opens the season at the Grand in Cincinnati on Labor Day. The show will play a two weeks' engagement , which is something unusual in the Queen City.

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Miss Ward, who is filling a singing engagement at the Columbia, was at one time in the same cast with the late Richard Mansfield. She is quite talented along dramatic lines and has been in a number of excellent companies.

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Mr. Homer Barton, a former member of the Millbrook Stock Company, is now identified with the Fairview Stock Company of Dayton, O. Concerning his work, the Fairview Sparks, a journal devoted exclusively to the Gem City park, says:

"Few stock actors have made as good an impression in Dayton as has Homer Barton. There was very little for him to do in "The County Chairman," but how that big bell voice of his did roll out over the audience.

Barton is a splendid dresser, and this week his education stands him in good stead in "Secret Service." He is a graduate of Culver Military Academy, which a number of Dayton boys have attended. The old cadets had a nice meeting at the Algonquin, where Mr. Barton is stopping."

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"Are You a Mason?" will not be presented at the Casino this summer. Manager Berthelet wanted to use the hilarious farce comedy for the closing week, but the royalty, $200, was a bit too high, thank yee.

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Charley Ferguson, who last season held the position of stage manager at the Sun theatre, will not resume his old position when the play house swings into line on Labor Day. He has just signed a contract to go out with Mary Emerson's company in the capacity of head carpenter. Miss Emerson is going to take a flier into the repertoire field this season and has recruited a splendid company. Her bookings will bring her to the Grand later in the season. She is a popular romantic actress and will have a profitable week here. Mrs. Ferguson will also join the company and will be a companion to Miss Emerson, whose husband, Dave Lewis, will be the advance man for the troupe. Lewis played the old fiddler in Mildred Holland's production of "The Power Behind the Throne."

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Manager Arthur Berthelet of the Millbrook Stock Company, is making a special effort to have Miss Louise Kent join the Shubert force s this fall. She is very talented and would make this company a valuable asset. It is a certainty that Miss Kent will not go out next season with the "Silver Thread" company.

Art Boynton Is To Sing

Arthur Boynton, former owner of the Nickelodeon picture theatre and who is a clever vocalist, will sing tonight at the Arcana theatre instead of the Orpheum as was previously announced.

Mr. Boynton will warble that pretty ballad "If I Had the World to Give You" accompanied by his wife on the piano.

Gen. J. H. Smith Made A Talk

An excellent address by General Jacob H. Smith featured the regular meeting of Bailey Post G. A. R. Friday night.

There was a good attendance and the veterans listened attentively to the interesting talk by Gen. Smith on "Patriotism," which followed the usual business.

Repairs At County Jail

The work on repairing the county jail and erecting the new additions is progressing nicely and the contractors hope to complete the work by the middle of September.

The total cost of the improvement on the jail and court house will amount to a sum in the neighborhood of $6000.

Dr. Joseph Lake, who suffered a severe nervous attack a few days ago, was able to appear on the streets again Saturday.

Children Neglected

Following an investigation of a complaint made by neighbors the four children, Edgar, 12, Charles 9, Hazel 8 and Goldie 4 of Henry and Sophia Wheeler, living on Elm street were not receiving proper care, probation officer Harry Ball Saturday filed complaint in probate court alleging that the children were being sadly neglected.

The father is said to be a worthless fellow, spends his time in idleness and fails to provide for his family. He is not at home now having left several days ago and his family is now in want.

The hearing was set for August 14 and the children will likely be sent to the home.

BACK FROM FINE TRIP

Warren Briggs returned home yesterday from a successful trip for the American Book Company He made Wellston, Greenfield, Chillicothe and Circleville.

Will Return Sunday.

Fred Breitheil, a member of fire company No. 17, in Cincinnati, who has been the guest of Ed. Duncer, of the hill top company for several days, will return home Sunday.

Popular Excursion

via

B. & O. R. R.

Sunday, August 13

To

Athens, Coolville, Parkersburg, Marietta, Wellston, Jackson, etc.

Special train leaves Portsmouth at 5:30 a. m., returning leaves Marietta 5:40 p. m., Parkersburg 6:20 p. m.

Various attractions at Athens, Coolville, Parkersburg and Marietta; also an opportunity to visit friends along the line For particulars see small bills or phone

J. E. SANDS, Agent.
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Before Leaving

for the Sea Shore or Summer Resort, have your Jewelry thoroughly examined.

Diamond mountings are often badly in need of repair before the defect is noticeable.

Probably some of your Brooches, Pins, Rings, Pendants, etc., may need cleaning and polishing.

Our Jewelry Repairing is skillful and exact to a degree, because our repairers are competent workmen.

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Supplies, Automobile Garage, Repairing of Automobiles, Gas, Gasoline and Steam Engines, Machinery, Etc. Estimates cheerfully given. No. 668 East Eighth Street.

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Crowded for ware room and in order to make room for our Fall Goods.

Will offer any piece of Furniture in stock at a Discount of from 15 to 25 percent.

Take advantage of this sale and save Money.

D. A. ALSPAUGH

Nos. 114-116 W. Second
PRINDLE'S OLD STAND

Woman's Happiness

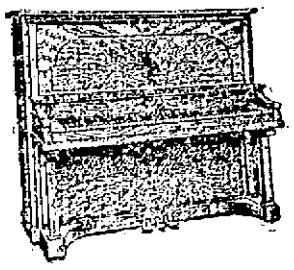
The highest point of woman's happiness is reached only through motherhood, in the clasping of her child within her arms. Yet the mother-to-be is often fearful of nature's ordeal and shrinks from the suffering incident to its consummation. But for nature's ills and discomforts nature provides remedies, and in Mother's Friend is to be found a medicine of great value to every expectant mother. It is an oily emulsion for external application, composed of ingredients which act with beneficial and soothing effect on those portions of the system involved. It is intended to prepare the system for the crisis, and thus relieve, in great part, the suffering through which the mother usually passes. The regular use of Mother's Friend will repay any mother in the comfort it affords before, and the helpful restoration to health and strength it brings about after baby comes. Mother's Friend is for sale at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers which contains much valuable information, and many suggestions of a helpful nature.

Mother's Friend

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

"Greatness"

As Applied to Men and the Piano Business



There is all the difference in the world as to what constitutes "GREATNESS". Some piano agents think it is "greatness" and smartness to take advantage of the simple minded, the innocent, and the confiding people, charging them more for Pianos than they would charge the hard fisted, the cunning, or the personal friend. Those Piano Agents think "greatness" consists only in the amount of money they boast they have made, cheating the unawares, though it would make honest people shame-faced to tell how much more they have charged one customer for the same identical piano than they had another.

The ordinary Piano Agent in a city of this size will sell one or two Pianos a month. Sometimes one more sometimes not any. Now those agents must make their profits, their extravagant living expenses, their business expenses, and their extra pin money, and every other expense, (not forgetting the commissions they pay on those few Pianos they sell) therefore is it a wonder that they misrepresent their goods and charge you from $100.00 to $200.00 more than what their pianos are really worth? That is their GREATNESS and you are the victim.

If it is a matter of trust on the part of the Piano buyer, if the Piano buyer must give their confidence to the one where they spend their money (and all the world knows that is what they do), should they not know who is doing a square business, who it is that sells at "One Price", to one customer the same as to another, and that price must be the right price not inflated like a balloon and from $100.00 to $200.000 added to it, because the expense was a little higher this month, "I need a few extras."

Anybody that reads can see that the extraordinary effort of Piano Agents in this city to cover their tracks by loudly declaring that they are "Now" One Price, that they are honest men, that somebody is trying to hurt them is conclusive proof that R. P. Seiler's Only Home Piano Store means this: That the people of Portsmouth and surrounding territory can send their children to my store WHERE THEY will be treated right and get their money's worth.

Who in Portsmouth sells the magnificent line of strictly High Grade Pianos that I do with an absolute correct scale, with that sympathetic touch, and that powerful, yet sweet mellow singing tone, which you can only find in the Smith & Nixon Pianos? For that reason the Greatest Musicians pronounce them the "Artistic Standard of the World" and justly so. Let the people of Portsmouth and vicinity come to my store and they will find the goods.

$145.00 will buy a Piano what others sell for $225.00. You will save $80.00 on this instrument.

$165.00 will buy a Piano what others sell for $250.00. You will save ve $85.00 on this instrument.

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CHRISTIANS IN THE LEAD

Just before going to press the Christian church was in the lead at the track meet at Millbrook park with the Second Presbyterian a close second.

SAYS BOY WAS WHIPPED

Rufus Adkins, a farmer at Globe, Ky., brought his ten year old son, William, into Squire Brickey this morning to show the Squire the welts alleged to have been raised on the youngster's back by a school teacher, Miss Emma Harwood, and to prefer charges against her.

The youngster had seven welts across his back, which h claims were inflicted by the young lady teacher when he spit on the floor. The boy says that she dismissed the other pupils and gave him a good thrashing for his disobedience.

Squire Brickey told Mr. Adkins to report the matter to the superintendent of schools at Greenup, Ky.

Released August 11.

SISTER'S BIG HAT AND BABY'S BONNET.

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* 'TIS A PLEASURE TO REMEMBER THESE *
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Stucco work, which was much prized by the ancients, was revived in 1550.

Machines for ruling paper with faint lines were invented by a Dutchman at London in 1782.

The vise was invented by Archytas, of Tarentum, a disciple of Pythagoras, about 516 B. C.

Saddles were first used in the third century, and were made of leather in 304. Side saddles for ladies were introduced by Anne, Queen of Richard II., in 1388.

In 1572 the first antiquarian society was formed in England. It was dissolved in 1604 by King James, who regarded the inquiries of the antiquarians with suspicion.

First recorded eruption of Vesuvius took place in the year 79, warnings having been given sixteen years previously.

Mack Is Happy.

"Mack," the hobo dog has received a gift from the Socialists, of which he is very proud. It is a silver dog collar with two plates, one bearing the words, "Appeal to Reason," and the second, "Socialists."

Called To Waverly.

Nick Shitely and Dick Andres, of the Friel garage, went to Waverly Saturday to repair a machine that broke down. It was being driven to Columbus by a party from Huntington.

Notice to Public.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Leona Moran. Signed,

C. L. MORAN.

Mrs. Vida Pettit will return home Sunday from a week's visit to relatives and friends in Adams county.

Arthur Bannon was a legal visitor to Columbus Sautrday.

PLAN FOR A BIG PICNIC AUG. 17

Arrangements are being made to entertain a monster crowd at the thirteenth annual reunion and home-coming at Harrisonville next Thursday, August 17, on which date the event has always been held.

An excellent program, which is expected to prove interesting and furnish a day of fine amusement for the big crowd anticipated has been prepared by the committee, Ed. Neary, Sylvester Kellar and J. T. Stockham.

Speech making and music will be a big feature of the program, which will also contain additional strong attractions, including a balloon ascension and parachute leap by Prof. Rodgers, and a flag drill by the young ladies of Harrisonville.

Then there will be the usual line of side shows and circle swing and ocean wave. Music will be furnished by the Harrisonville brass band and the "sheepskin" band of that place will all be present to enliven the occasion with war tunes.

John Hanks, a clever vocalist of Jackson, will render a number of selections. J. P. Addis has been awarded the refreshment stand privilege, and will dispense red lemonade and chewing gum.

TEACHERS ARE NAMED

At a meeting of the Board of Education at Lucasville last night, Miss Hazel McKinley was elected to teach grades two and three.

Mr. Bazley was chosen to convey the pupils from District No. 1, at a salary of $50 a month.

Jas Woddell will be his assistant at a salary of $20 per month.

George Shultz will convey the children from District No. 9, at a salary of $35 per month.

The board adjourned to meet again next Tuesday afternoon, at two o'clock, at which time the board will take up the bond issue again.

Coming Home On Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Bannon and son Louis and daughter Elizabeth will arrive home Sunday from a three weeks' trip through Canada. They spent most of their time fishing in the vicinity of Point Au Baril.

Alas! It Never Can.

"Permit me," said the optimist,
"To gladly state
That we are having weather which
Is simply great."

"I know it," said the pessimist,
Who seemd downcast;
"We might have cause for joy if it
Would only last."

Brother Has Recovered

J. Kenton Parker, the Interstate ... foreman, has received the ... news that his brother, ... Parker, has recovered his ... at Vanceburg.

The Misses Wirt and Mrs. John Russell, who have been camping at Camp Riverside, will return home tonight.

Had Close Call

Vige Hughes, a "dinky" engine switchman, came dangerously near being killed at the steel plant Friday night. A buggy struck against boards projecting from the plate mill and Hughes was knocked down, but saved himself from going under the wheels.

Shortage Of Ice

Inability to get a sufficient supply of water Friday evening greatly cut down the supply of ice made today at the plant of the Stockham Ice Company. As a result there was a near ice famine in the city Saturday.

The water shortage was due to the water works crew flushing the Robinson avenue main Friday night. To do this the water supply below Robinson avenue was cut off for an hour.

OWNER UNDER ARREST

(By United Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12 Antonio Romano, whose store was blown up and a man and woman killed Friday was arrested today following the coroner's inquest. He carried $20,000 insurance on the place.

Three Men Entombed

(By United Press.)

Porterville, Pa., Aug. 12—A big force of men is at work to rescue three men entombed here in a gangway whicl caved in ahead of the men. They are alive and are keeping in touch with their rescuers by tapping on a steel rod.

Are Married.

... Wireman and Carrie Pernell, of Greenup county, Ky., and Charles Widdig and Nenia McNamar, of the Chillicothe pike, were married Saturday by Squire Byron.

Excursion Sunday.

The B. & O. S.-W. will run an excursion to Marietta, Parkersburg, Athens and Coolville Sunday. The train will leave here at 5:30 a. m. and returning arrive here at 10:50 p. m.

Arm Broken.

A 10 year old son of Andrew Summers, farmer, living near Vernon school house, sustained a broken arm in a fall Saturday afternoon. The lad tumbled backwards as he was crossing a fence.

READY TO DIE, PASSES AWAY WHILE PRAYING

With the same prayer on his lips which he has repeated innumerable times, that the Power above take him from this earthly sphere, John Flanders, a former well known druggist, and for 30 years an invalid closed his weary eyes and passed peacefully across that boundary from which none return, shortly before 10 a. m. Saturday.

Mr. Flanders succumbed to sclerosis, which had rendered him an invalid, and his death occurred at the home of his sister, Mrs. Louise Jackson, 1420 Findlay street, with whom he resided. She is the only surviving relative.

He was a son of George W. and Henrietta Flanders, pioneers of this city, who have been dead several years. Deceased spent practically his entire life of 66 years in this city and was widely known. For several years he was employed as druggist at the Fisher & Streich pharmacy.

He was a splendid citizen, possessing a likeable disposition. He was honorable in all his dealings, and had many other excellent traits of character, and the news of his death will be learned with a feeling of genuine regret by his many friends over town.

The funeral will be held from the home Monday, at 8 a. m., and the service will be conducted by Rev. F. J. Bauman. Burial will be made at Wheelersburg.

IRONTON TO GET POSTAL BANK

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—Postal banks will be established at Ironton, Hillsboro, Oxford and Westerville, O., September 11.

Falls 16 Feet.

While repairing a boiler at the plant of the Portsmouth Steel Company Saturday morning Henry Bertram fell 16 feet and was painfully bruised. No bones were broken. Bertram lives in Ne wBoston.

BUILDING PERMITS

Leroy Johnson took out a building permit Saturday for a new two-room dwelling at No. 1300 North Waller street to cost $200.

Home From Trip.

Ralph Thomas rounded in Friday night from a several weeks' trip for the Howard Manufacturing Company, of Buffalo, for a brief rest.

Dispersed Boys.

Police were called to Fifth and Court streets Saturday morning to disperse some boys who were interfering with Contractor Bradley's forces at work on J. F. Simon's new property.

Gets An Auto.

Agent W. J. Friel Saturday delivered a Ford roadster to Mayor W. T. Gordon, of Beaver, Pike county. Mayor Gordon is a brother-in-law of 'Squire Byron, of this city.

BURTON IS DEFEATED

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12 Senator Burton, Republican, of Ohio, capitulated today and admitted defeat in his filibuster to prevent the consideration by the senate of the Cummins bill to abolish the Aldrich Monetary Commission. The senate will take a vote on the bill Monday.

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* PECULIAR ROUTES TO THE UNKNOWN. *
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Frederick Lewis, Prince of Wales, died from the blow of a criket ball.

Fabius, Roman praetor, was choked to death by a single goat hair in the milk he was drinking.

Quintus Aemie Lepidus, Roman general, in passing out of his house, stubbed his great toe against the threshold and expired.

Quenclault, a Norman physician of Montpelier, died from a slight wound made in his hand while extracting a splinter.

Thomas Otway, English poet, in a starving condition was given a guinea, with which he bought a loaf of bread, and died as he swallowed the first mouthful.

Funeral Monday.

The funeral of Miss Gertie Carver will take place from the Grandview Avenue church Monday at 2 p. m.

Bond Given.

Gus Nance, who was held for train wrecking was released from jail Saturday on bond furnished by two uncles.

Released on Receipt.

THE FASHIONABLE FRILL.

PHOTO BY JOEL FEDER.

ONE of the prettiest conceits Dame Fashion has stamped with her favor this season is the frill jabot, a dainty example of which is pictured. The frill has become so popular with the American woman that it seems almost a uniform of the well dressed woman. Sometimes it is developed in the most expensive laces such as Point de Venice, Chantilly and even Duchess. Its most popular form, however, is in mull and Irish or Valenciennes lace, and the frill illustrated is in this combination.

BIG SENSATIONS IN STEEL PROBE

(By United Press.)

Washington, Aug. 12—After developing some sensational testimony regarding the structural steel agreement for the apportionment of business, the probing committee of congress adjourned to meet October 16.

Wm. C. Temple, former commissioner of the steel plate association, the last witness, stated there was an agreement among the steel companies as to the amount of steel to be made. To guarantee faith each company deposited a certain amount with trustees. For every pound they manufactured over the stipulated sum they had to pay the other companies ½ cent a pound, and received ½ cent a pound for all under.

Temple created a sensation when he said the agreement was abrogated on the advice of Judge Gary, as it wa simproper.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Thomas have returned from Peebles, where they attended the Adams County Chautauqua.

Water Getting Very Scarce

The water supply at Hales Creek became exhausted Saturday and the B. & O. S.-W. is arranging to haul water from Portsmouth next week.

Mrs. Thomas Breech and two daughters, Misses Helen and Erma, left Friday to visit Mrs. Breech's sister, Mrs. Charles Owens, of Tolesboro, Ky.

Ruth, a four-year-old daughter of William Brengartner, an Offnere street cigarmaker, is reported alarmingly ill.

Had Pleasant Visit.

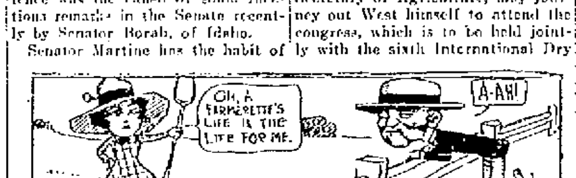
Mrs. Fred L. Wintersole of Canton, who has been a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Virgin expects to conclude her visit Monday and return home. She will be accompanied as far as Columbus by her father.

Washington Sidelights

Washington, D. C.

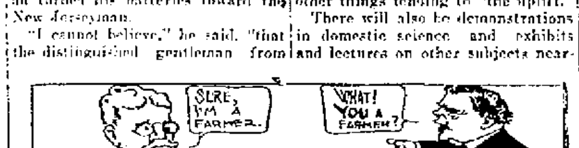
When Senator James Edgar Martine, the Democratic Senator from New Jersey, wrote his biography for the Congressional Directory, he said that he "is by occupation a farmer." That innocent little sentence was the cause of some facetious remarks in the Senate recently by Senator Borah, of Idaho.

Senator Martine has the habit of



breaking in on other Senators while they are speaking and, unmindful of the rise and fall of the Vice-President's gavel, proceeds to argue with them. While Senator Borah was talking, Senator Martine interjected some remarks. Senator Borah turned his batteries toward the New Jerseyman.

"I cannot believe," he said, "that the distinguished gentleman from



New Jersey with his gold spectacles and Hyperion curls, is, indeed, a farmer."

Senator Martine retorted that he could handle a field of rye as well as any man."

Here the state senators had a hearty laugh.

There is a new experience in store for several officials of the Department of Agriculture. They have been invited and have accepted the invitation to attend the first International Congress of Farm Women at Colorado Springs, Col., beginning October 18.

It is just possible that the veteran cabinet member, James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, may journey out West himself to attend the congress, which is to be held jointly with the sixth International Dry Farming Congress.

Inquiry at the department developed the fact that the program of the farm women will include speeches on better homes, better sanitation, more practical education, more refinement to rural homes and other things tending to "the uplift."

There will also be demonstrations in domestic science and exhibits and lectures on other subjects nearest the hearts of farm women, not the least of which will be the proper kind of dress for farm women to wear.

"No," said one of the representatives scheduled to go to the congress, "I haven't the slightest idea what form of apparel will be advocated. However, I should think divided skirts, or even zouave-like trousers would help the women in farm management."

Furnished by Hansen Co.

The elegant new hall dedicated by the Tribe of Ben Hur Friday night was furnished by the Hansen Furniture company.

Mrs. Joseph Lake has returned from a short visit to relatives in Ashland, Ky. She was called home by the illness of Dr. Joseph Lake, who is a little better.

Modern Woodmen.

W. K. Raerk and Harry Mitchell were made Modern Woodmen at Friday night's meeting of Portsmouth camp.

Mrs. Tide Davenport and son Master Charles of Grimes avenue, will leave Monday for West Port, Ind., for a few weeks' visit with Mr. Davenport's home folk.

RARDEN

Misses Muriel and Lucena Burkitt are visiting relatives at Xenia.

Mrs. John Newman, of Portsmouth, is here visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. M. Wikoff and son, Leroy, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carl Ballengee, at Dayton.

Gordon Freeman, of Portsmouth, is being pleasantly entertained by his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Freeman.

Mrs. Fred Hunt is visiting friends in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waller and children, of McDermott, and Miss Coselle Bratten, of Portsmouth, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enze Thompson.

Misses Ruth and Genevieve Forsythe were visiting friends at Otway, Sunday.

Mrs. Wilson Thompson is in Portsmouth visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lem Odle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Higins, of Portsmouth, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stewart, from Sunday until Tuesday.

N. H. Windle is very ill.

LILLY

There will be preaching at Union church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night, conducted by Rev. Delowter.

Barbara Daum spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. John Fisher, of Bloom Switch, and was accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. Minnie May and Mrs. Cora Eagon of Glenville, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gleim, of Pine Creek, were Sunday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Effie Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Webb, of Rockwood, W. Va.

A large crowd attended the ice cream social at Willard Hurst's home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper and children, Ethyel and Forest, visited Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs Fred Miller.

Ruth Wilson of Portsmouth, passed a few days with her friends, Misses Anna and Mayme Grashel.

A large crowd attended the ice cream social at L. G. Yeley's store Saturday night. All enjoyed a dandy good time.

John Miller passed Saturday and Monday in the Peerless.

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WHO IS WHO?

According to Washington news a string of senators and congressmen is calling on President Taft to stiffen his backbone, so he will veto the several tariff reduction bills sent up to him the present session.

They assure him that should he do so they will fight into the last ditch to see that he is not overridden by the Democratic and insurgent combination, proclaiming with loud voice that it shall never be said, while they have legs and lungs, that the congress has shown itself master of the president.

Brave and gallant lads, but it is to be hoped Mr. Taft understands them and takes their professions of his dignity and power for what they are worth. His memory can not be so short that he has forgotten when these same stand-patters overrode him and trampled his dignity and power into the dust. He called upon them in the name of honor and patriotism to redeem the promise their party had made to reduce the tariff and they responded by adding many duties still higher and compelling him to approve it, apologize and then finally defend.

But that is neither here nor there. The question is who is elected to make laws, congress or the president? Undoubtedly, President Taft has a right to impose his veto on any measure, but there his prerogative stops and his authority ought to also. Heretofore he has committed unholy blunders by messing into the congressional business and had to eat a sorry mess of crow for it. If he be sensible he will steer clear of that this time.

He has neither the inclination, the courage, nor the ability to become the dictator of congress and besides he lacks knowledge of affairs and men. He is not a good guesser even and he over takes counsel from the wrong source.

Hands off is the legal, constitutional and sensible policy for him to follow.

A LITTLE IS ENOUGH.

"It looks as if souphouse conditions are the only kind of advice that the people of the United States will accept."

That observation is to be found in the American Economist. Its full significance is to be understood, when it is borne in mind the Economist is the official organ of the protected industries and it is spoken in an argument as to why President Taft should disapprove the farmers' free list bill and other tariff reduction measures sent up to him this special session.

It is a threat, more or less veiled, on the part of the bloated barons of protection to precipitate a panic. President Taft should meet it by instant approval of all the bills. Nothing, however, so patriotic and courageous is to be expected of him, it is much to be feared. He is a conservative, a timorous man, totally lacking in the nerve to call a bluff. And may be, after all, it is better he is such. Should he sign the bills, it is a likelihood that when others like them are proposed there would be such a yell that enough has been done in that direction by this congress and further reductions should be postponed in order to give business time to adjust itself to new conditions, that it would be effective.

But the people have intelligence, they have courage and if Taft vetoes all the bills that would reduce the cost of living to them they will take the matter entirely in their own hands and call the protection robbers to a full account. They will give a panic for fair and sure enough it will be then the devil help the hindmost.

A POINT EMPHASIZED.

Representatives of canning establishments are swarming over West Virginia, bargaining for the apple crops on trees and paying fancy prices for them.

That emphasizes a point The Times has been for some years trying to impress, that the greatest fortune of all these regions lies in fruits.

Year in and year out there is no product of the soil that pays as handsomely as fruits and of these apples the most, provided, of course, there is proper cultivation.

There is no better fruit belt than the foot hills of the Allegheny mountains which stretch out on both sides of the Ohio river. A greater part of them are ill-fitted for anything else, except grazing and timber growing, but for this one thing they are rich in fortune.

It is not advisable they be turned solely to apples, or yet to fruits. Diversity is always the safest and in long run the most profitable. A tract of five hundred acres can be bought for a song. A part of it for grazing, the steepest parts for timber, a tobacco patch, a bit of corn field and orchards of apples, peaches, pears and grapes and in a few years the owner would be secure against the ordinary disasters that attend business ventures.

A GOOD START.

The commissioners of Cabell county, West Virginia, have taken the preliminary steps towards constructing a boulevard from Huntington to Four Pole.

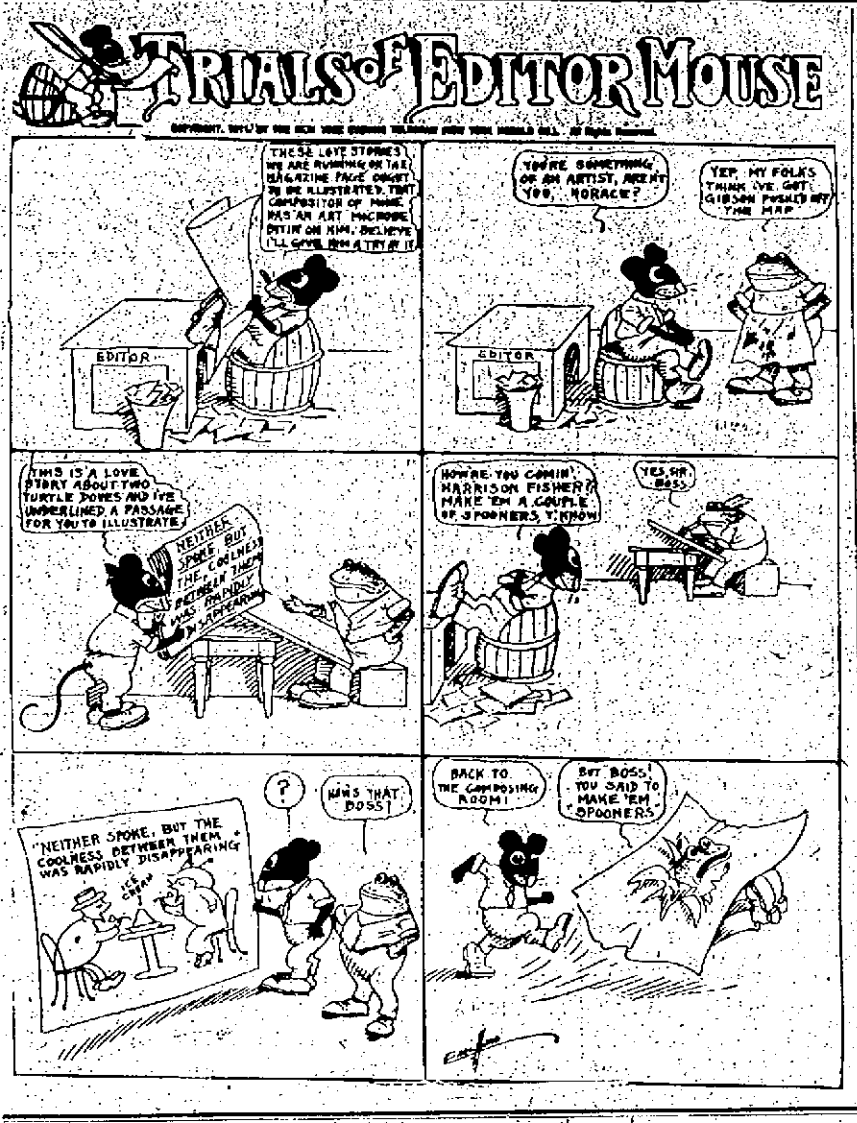
They are going about it in the right way. A small tax has been levied to construct a small part of the way and each year the levy will be continued and a further section laid until the entire work is done and done once and for all.

The prime object of the undertaking is to make the city market accessible at all seasons of the year to the truck raisers and gardeners who live in the Four Pole section. It is something akin to the paving of Chillicothe pike, which after it was well under way, was opposed by those residing on the way and was finally brought to an abrupt pause by the county commissioners refusing to apply the funds received from the state to the purpose. That was the greatest mistake of the many in the history of the board of commissioners for Scioto county, though it must be admitted it had some provocation in the neglect and opposition which the pike residents offered to it. However, it is still one realized and that may be remedied in the future. It is to be devoutly hoped so, at least.

GREAT CHANGES.

In the old Indian times, the Scioto river was important, says the Columbus State Journal. It was the waterway from the lakes to the Ohio river for a large part of the way. Then it was the most beautiful stream in the country, and when the Indian in his canoe paddled down its waters, the sight was certainly most thrilling. One could wish almost that those romantic times were back again, when there was a dense forest everywhere and the green waters of the Scioto glimmered through it; when the bear, the elk, the wild turkey, the deer, the buffalo, could be seen from the canoe floating down the stream.

That was only a little over a hundred years ago. What a change there has been! A new race, a new life, a new civilization has stepped in and pushed the former aside. All of which we remark to say further, that in another hundred years the change will be just as remarked, and it will come without our bothering ourselves about it. But what it will be, one could hardly trust to his dreams. And not more marked will the change in the natural situation be, than in the moral and intellectual tone of the people. We expect to see it—from the next world.



THE UNEXPECTED.

Strange things are happening at Columbus, these days. W. E. Haskell has resigned his $4,500 job in the boiler engineering department to take the place of secretary to the commission having charge of state institutions, at an annual hire of $3,000.

But that isn't all Haskell did. He is the fellow who stired up all the muss about state officials charging mileage and board. When he came to the boiler department he inquired of the attorney general if it were lawful for him to make such charges and that let the cat out of the bag.

Nor are we yet at the end of this man Haskell's unique conduct. After he had got his position the legislature tacked on a new bureau to it and by way of solace added an emolument of $1,200. The attorney general ruled that was proper and constitutional, but Haskell said it did not look good to him. When the law said the hire of an official should not be increased during his term it said that and nothing else, so he neglected and refused to yank the extra $1,200 out of the treasury.

There is only one explanation to be offered, Haskell is a Democrat. Had he been a Republican, especially of the sort that preceded him in office he would have taken the mileage, the board, the $1,200 and gorged himself on anything else he found lying around loose enough to be pried off with a machine jimmie.

A lot of ministers out in New York have taken to the housetops from whence they are shouting they will not perform the second marriage ceremony for John Jacob Astor, a divorced man. That is all right, but John Jacob will not have any serious difficulty in finding a person who will tie the knot as loose as he wants it.

The British lords care more for their social position than they do for political power. At least that is a fair assumption from the fact that they voted to shear themselves of equal authority in parliament, under the threat that their ranks would be wiped out entirely.

They are improving down in Mississippi. When the successful candidate for attorney general attempted to shake hands with his defeated rival he was only knocked down instead of having holes shot through him until he looked like a sieve.

Vice President Sherman deplores the drift from protection in the Republican party. Even a drift is less disastrous than a route, however, and Sunny Jim is enough of a philosopher to realize that.

Why not have Hobson meet Togo and talk it over?

It is a fact that Roosevelt cut a mighty sorry figure before the steel trust probe. He deposed he "was cognizant of the entire situation" in the absorbtion of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, by the steel octopus, but when he was asked about the details of the absorbtion and the command of a particular line of products, he professed entire ignorance.

According to the True American, of Trenton, New Jersey, 47 of the states are for Woodrow Wilson for president. It magnanimously refuses to claim Ohio, but still will not admit it will be against the New Jersey man.

The Huntington Herald-Dispatch wants the fire department called out to sprinkle the bed of the Ohio river. It is alarmed at the tremendous number of germs floated over the city in the dust therefrom.

The Cedar Rapids Gazette says it is not Bryan that needs any sympathy for that alleged turn down he got in Nebraska, but his enemies.

The old warning about boiling water before drinking is again on copious tap.

Of course, we won one. Got to once in awhile.

Those Cincinnati Reds are a great team, in spots.

George W. Perkins didn't answer and he didn't go to jail either.

Who knows but that the wily Japs have sent Togo over here as a spy.

If feed stuff keeps on going up the granger will have to buy an auto or walk.

Poor old Ironton, she is already legally dry and now threatens to be so naturally also.

It may be taken that the silver lining to the cloud of the demise of Senator Frye, of Maine, is he will be succeeded by a Democrat.

Bryan evidently wants a candidate for president that is not a bit superstitious. He proposes 13 questions for each one to answer.

Mr. Rockefeller candidly admits that he is too rich. Might call a convention of the gentry whose business is separating persons from their money.

We second the motion of the Marion Star that the rival candidates for president of Haiti agree on Jack Johnson as a compromise candidate.

Talk about wonders. Huntington business men have petitioned the county commissioners to raise the levy for park purposes from five to ten cents on the hundred.

Senator Burton has an unfortunate way of lapsing from grace. He stood fairly enough for Canadian reciprocity, but voted against all the direct tariff reduction bills.

It is a peculiar fact that most persons who go in for the raising of chickens fail, while the haphazard methods of the farm make it the greatest of all agricultural industries. Can it then be called an instance where science and system fail?

Those Chicago hucksters are certainly a shrewd lot. The other day an ordinance was passed forbidding them to cry out their wares on the street, but the next day they got around it by changing the names of their steeds. So on one street a fellow went down bawling: "Giddap, Cabbages"; and on another: "Whoa, you Melons." By changing names every day to some article of truck they manage to more than keep up appearances.

It is said Taft will veto the New Mexico and Arizona statehood bill. Well, that would not be his first blunder.

It occurs that some one in the federal service has been remiss in the matter of protecting the uniforms of the army and navy.

Washington society is not so much shocked at the suicide of a young lieutenant as it is agrieved that he left no explanation of why he did it.

"The forehead," says Lillian Russell, "should not be too high." The forehead seems to be almost the only necessity that is no higher than it used to be—Kansas City Star. Umph! The brain, may be, is so busy spreading out corraling things it's forgotten the uplift.

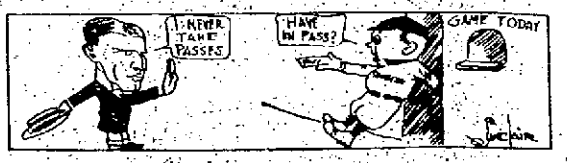
The Portsmouth street railway is tentatively valued at a million dollars, less a mere bagatelle of a hundred thousand dollars, by the state tax commission. That is what comes of having a high reputation. The road is accounted as rendering the best like service in the state.

Generals Firmin and Leconte, who conducted the successful double-barreled revolution in Haiti, now have to settle their clashing ambitious with a counter revolution. The chief rivalry between them is which shall be the revolutionary leader, as the Hailiens, like the Irish are ever ferninst the government.

Washington Sidelights.

"This is Representative Lindbergh, of Minnesota. I have some visitors here from out home. Can I get about six passes for the game? There's half a dozen in the bunch."

This was what a voice said over the telephone to the American League Baseball Park. It didn't sound good to the baseball authorities, so they called Mr. Lindbergh up at the House office building.



"No," Mr. Lindbergh said. "I've made it a principle never to accept passes for anything, let alone ask for them. Please do not recognize the request."

The man with the "bunch" had to pay at the gate.

Representative Howard, of Georgia, has practically been supporting an old negro from Georgia for the past three months. He was an employe of the House of Representatives under the republicans, but with the incoming of the democrats he was turned out. He appealed to Mr. Howard for aid.

When Senator John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, made a determined and successful fight on the floor of the Senate for the reinstatement of James Jones, who was Jeff Davis' bodyguard, it put an idea into Mr. Howard's head.

Wasn't his protege the bodyguard of Alexander Stephens, who was Vice President of the Confederacy?

Mr. Howard did not find it difficult to obtain a place for the negro, whose name is James Stephens. When Mr. Howard recited how James had rolled "Marse Alex" around in an invalid's chair for months, and how James had been the last person the Vice President had spoken to on this earth, he found it an easy task. James was given a place as a sweeper in the Capitol. He started in to work on August 1.

Mrs. Fulton Sinking.

Word was received by Dr. C. C. Fulton Friday, that his aged mother, Mrs. Augusta Fulton, who is ill at her home, in Elliott county, Ky., is gradually sinking.

In A Hospital.

Bert McMillan, son of John McMillan, of Lucasville, is seriously ill with lung trouble in a hospital in Colorado Springs, Colo. He has been ill for several months.

Told by the Troubled Tourist

Suggests General Color Scheme for Public Servants.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

HIS scheme of dressing subway guards all in spotless white opens the door to some great possibilities," remarked the Troubled Tourist. "I can see where your city beautiful will soon have a beautiful color scheme. If it keeps on, and we'll be able to get away from the general gloom that has pervaded our masculine wearing apparel for the last hundred years.

"We'll soon be able to live, move and have our being in an everyday pageant that will make the stage managers sit up and take notice.

"Idea seems to be spreading up State, too, where they want to dress the policemen in shirt waists, outing trousers and tennis shoes. Wouldn't that make a gorgeous outfit for Broadway? All the posts would have to be made stationary then, for the gaudy guardians of the peace couldn't move, for the admiring crowds. It doesn't say what kind of headgear they'd wear with this stylish rig, but I suppose a neat Panama hat with the brim turned up in the back and a quill stuck through it would be about the thing. A combination nightstick and umbrella would go well with this. I tell you if you only had a Broadway squad dressed like that we'd expect to hear 'em burst into song any minute.

"IF WE ONLY HAD A BROADWAY SQUAD DRESSED LIKE THAT."

"With the subway guards dressed in spotless white, it would be only proper to wear what he likes."

Tag out the elevated guards in robin's egg blue, for instance, and the surface car conductors could wear something modest in the shape of buff, with scarlet trimmings.

"The horse car conductor—what there is left of him—could wear the cavalry yellow, and the automobile bus conductors could wear electric blue. Waiters could adopt shades suitable to the decorations of their respective hotels and restaurants, and barbers could select something tasty in striped red, white and blue.

"Pink would be a nice Cupid-like color for messenger boys, but it would have to be fast, and say blue would be suitable for aeroplane conductors. I'm not sure just what we might dress the city's garbage collectors in, but crash would do for the material.

"Train callers and announcers generally would have to wear the loudest colors, and only soft fall shades would do for elevator men. Janitors would wear royal purple to indicate their supreme authority on the premises and the coal man could be made conspicuous in flame color. Any melting shade would answer for the ice man.

"As for the shoe shining artist, he's already taken care of. The papers have announced that he's to have green umbrellas. Aside from that he can probably

How to Train a Wife

Hints for the Blushing Bride and the $25-a-Week Bridegroom.

THE little Brown girl is going to be married," announced the Hopeful Housewife.

"Who's the lucky man?" inquired the Confirmed Commuter—not because he wanted to know, but to keep the peace.

"I forget his name," answered the proud bearer of tidings. "It's some young fellow she met down at the shore when she was there in July. She came in to ask my advice. She said I always seemed so contented, and yet she knew we weren't very rich, and would I please tell her if one could keep a maid on $25 a week."

"I suppose you handed out some cheerful advice," the Commuter ventured idly.

"I'm afraid it wasn't very cheerful," his wife replied. "I asked her if she could cook. She said no, that 'mother' didn't believe in making a girl too domestic, that 'mother' said the less women knew the less they had to do, that she had been brought up to have 'accomplishments.' So I asked her if she thought her 'accomplishments' were of such a rare order that a man would want to support her for life for them. I said—

"'You sing a little, but not so well you could ever make a cent by it. You draw just badly enough to make bad caricatures of your friends, but not well enough to design a dress. You studied French that you might assist in the annual school girl massacre of a beautiful language, but in Paris you couldn't order a cab or a beefsteak without an interpreter.'"

"Barring those few things she's all right," interrupted the Confirmed Commuter. "But how did she take your criticisms?"

"Of course she was perfectly furious. She argued, then she cried. But when she went away she promised that if she took her $5 a week young man she'd start going to a cooking school to-morrow."

"THE AVERAGE MAN DOESN'T DRIVE A BARGAIN WHEN HE MARRIES."

The Confirmed Commuter had listened to his wife's recital with a broad grin on his expressive countenance.

"In the role of domestic mentor you're positively funny," he said. "But I always thought that Brown girl had no sense of humor."

"What's funny about it?" his wife retorted. "Every word I told her is true—even if it doesn't apply to my own case. I don't have to do those things but I have no illusions about them."

"And you don't want anybody else to remind me too, well!"

"Why, not marriage on such a sordid basis? Why suggest to a young creature glowing with her first love that her charms, her little accomplishments, are not worth her keep? Be sure that $25-a-week young man doesn't think that he's undertaking her support because she's undertaking to cook and keep house for him."

"Of course he doesn't think it now, but he will the first time he comes home with a grouch to an unpalatable dinner," answered his wife. "The Greeks were right in considering the stomach the seat of the soul—particularly the male soul."

"Oh, I don't know," the Commuter answered, "you haven't a featherweight appetite yourself. The point I'm making is that the average man doesn't drive a bargain when he marries. Whatever you or I may think of that little girl's feeble efforts at singing, I've no doubt her young man believes she ought to be in grand opera, and she probably thinks all the Crusaders were not half so brave, noble or handsome as he."

"Yes," said his wife, impatiently, "no doubt she does, and it's highly probable these mutual delusions will keep either of them from ever amounting to anything—but not if I can help it!"

"Then why don't you found a school for the Training of Wives?" asked the Confirmed Commuter suddenly.

"And set up a rival establishment to my own husband?" she answered, smilingly. "I wouldn't think of such a thing! You've have—not even a poor kid that's just gotten engaged."

"That's just it!" was the unexpected answer. "The fewer illusions she marries with, the more she'll die with."

"But," urged the Commuter, sentimentally, "Why put marriage on such a sordid basis? Why suggest to a young creature glowing with her first love that her charms, her little accomplishments, are not worth her keep? Be sure that $25-a-week young man doesn't think that he's undertaking her support because she's undertaking to cook and keep house for him."

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Fair Women of the Old White House

MRS. WILLIAM McKINLEY.

DURING the administration of William McKinley, the twenty-fourth President of the United States, his wife was the dominant figure in the social life of the Capital.

Before her marriage she had been Ida Saxton, of Canton, Ohio, the granddaughter of a pioneer editor, who for sixty years had charge of the Ohio Repository. Her father was a leading business man and banker of Canton. Miss Saxton was educated at Cleveland, Ohio, and at Miss Eastman's Seminary, Media, Pa.

Major McKinley won her hand among many suitors, for Miss Saxton was considered a belle and a beauty. They were married on January 15, 1871, in the Presbyterian Church, of which Miss Saxton was a member. Her pastor, the Rev. Dr. Buckingham, officiated, assisted by Major McKinley's pastor, the Rev. Dr. Endsley, of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. McKinley became a conspicuous figure at the White House during the Hayes administration, for she was a close personal friend of Mrs. Hayes, receiving with her upon public occasions and taking Mrs. Hayes' place in her absence.

Although never in very robust health, she was her husband's constant companion and guide. The tragic death of the President at the Buffalo Exposition ten years ago next month gave Mrs. McKinley a shock from which she never recovered. She died in 1907.

MRS WILLIAM McKINLEY

Craze for Flying.

"I want to be an angel,"
She sang the sweet refrain,
"For then I'd feel much safer
Than in an aeroplane